WEATHER SYNOPSIS

The barometer is abnormally low on the Northern Coast, and heavy rains have been general from Vancouver Island to the Lower Mainland. Fine, mild weather continues in the Prairies.

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PEACE RIVER RAILWAY MAY BE ABSORBED

Premier of Alberta Gives Significant Interview While in Montreal to See Railway Heads

POLICY APPROVED IS FORESHADOWED

Both Provincial Railways, He Says, Should Be Incorporated With Transcontinental Line.

MONTREAL, Jan. 11.—Possibilities of increased development in the Peace River district and prospective prosperity to be derived by new settlers in that area, were pointed out with enthusiasm tonight by Hon. J. E. Brownlee, Premier of Alberta, during the course of an interview.

Premier Brownlee explained that he had come to Montreal for discussion on the Alberta railway question with Sir Henry Thornton, president of the Canadian National Railways, and E. W. Beatty, president of the Canadian Pacific Railway. The Provincial Government operated two roads, the Edmonton, Dunvegan & British Columbia, and the Alberta Great Waterways Railroad, both of which in the Premier's opinion should be incorporated in one of the two great transcontinental systems. He was prepared to discuss terms for the disposal of the two government-owned lines, being convinced that both province and the absorbing company will derive benefits from the amalgamation.

The Hon. C. A. Dunning, Minister of Railways and Canals, will be in Montreal Thursday and will spend the day in conference with Sir Henry Thornton, chairman and president of the Canadian National Railways, on matters pertaining to the national system.

GALE STOPS SEARCH FOR MISSING PLANE

WELLINGTON, N.Z., Jan. 11.—A gale stopped an extensive airplane search this afternoon for Capt. Hood and Lieut. Moncrieff. New Zealand aviators, missing on a flight from Sydney to New Zealand, and observers believe that survival of the fliers is improbable. The fliers were more than thirty-two hours overdue this afternoon. It is believed that they lost their way while crossing Tasman Sea and that they were forced to descend into the water.

HARBOR COMMISSION FOR HALIFAX NAMED

OTTAWA, Jan. 11.—The Federal Government today appointed a harbor commission for the port of Halifax, and the board as approved comprises Peter Jack, C. W. Ackhurst and John Murphy.

The commissioners are all men who have taken a keen interest in the commercial and administrative affairs of the Nova Scotian capital.

Still Talking

VANCOUVER, Jan. 11.—W. H. Hammond, "rebel" potato grower of Asheroft, is returning to the Interior tonight.

"I am determined to compel the Government to make a test case to ascertain the validity of the Market Control legislation," said Mr. Hammond. "At Ashcroft I intend to break every regulation the board has made."

From the Colonist Tower

Thursday, January 12

12th Day, 1928

THE WEATHER

Victoria and Vicinity: Strong winds or gales, mostly south and west, partly cloudy and mild, with occasional rain.

Sun Rises: 8:04 o'clock.
Sun Sets: 4:49 o'clock.

High Tide: 8:33 a.m., 9.0 feet.
Low Tide: 12:12 a.m., 3.2 feet.

Sport

England defeats Wales in International Rugby match.

Rogers Hornsby, in story to Colonist tell of connections with New York Giants.

Hot Stove League debate wages warm on transfer of Hornsby from Giants to Boston.

Sharkey is ready to meet Heeney.

Australian may fight in London if he beats Boston gob.

Capitals hockey team will have two men out against Vancouver Monarchs in intercity game tomorrow night.

The News

Local and Provincial—
Real Canadian spirit urged by Mr. D. B. Plunkett in address to McBride Conservative Club.
January rains break record. Yesterday wettest day for month in thirty-three years.

Dominion, Imperial and Foreign—
Steamer Griffco in peril southwest of Cape Flattery.
Death of Mr. Thomas Hardy.
British Methodist churches joint executive almost unanimous for union.
Ottawa to make strong effort to build up South American trade in large way.

Victim of Fatal Crash At The Pas, Man.



CAPT. F. J. STEVENSON

War air ace and member of the Ontario Provincial Corps, who crashed to death at The Pas, Man.

VOTE APPROVES CHURCH UNION

Joint Executive of Three Churches in Britain Endorses Proposals in Principle Almost Unanimously

UNION TO INCLUDE 3,000,000 PEOPLE

LONDON, Jan. 11.—The general principles of the new proposals for the union of the Wesleyan, Primitive and United Methodist Churches in Great Britain, were adopted by a vote of sixty-seven to one at a meeting of the joint executive of the three churches here today.

The proposed union of the Wesleyan, Primitive and United Methodist Churches, which would be under the title of "the Methodist Church," would comprise 890,000 members with more than 3,000,000 adherents, 4,254 ordained ministers, 37,194 lay preachers and 15,378 churches.

Plane Reaches Nome

NOME, Alaska, Jan. 11.—A Stinson-Detroit cabin airplane, piloted by Noel Wien, arrived here today from Fairbanks with first class mail from the States. En route to Nome the plane stopped to deliver mail at Nulato, Ruby and Unalakleet. From the latter point mail will be taken by dog team to Point Barrow and other points on the Arctic Coast.

Wien expects to leave on the return trip Saturday with four passengers.

SUDDEN STROKE BRINGS DEATH

LORD GLANUSK COLLAPSES WHILE SPEAKING AT HOSPITAL MEETING

Had Just Uttered Words of Thanks for Reign Permitted to Live to See That Day

BRECON, Wales, Jan. 11.—"In humble gratitude I thank Almighty God, the Creator of the Universe, that he has permitted me to see this day. It is a great day for us all." No sooner had Lord Glanusk uttered these words at the opening of the Breckonshire War Memorial Hospital today, than he staggered back, collapsed and was carried away. At his son's request the ceremony was carried on, but within a few minutes the news was brought that Lord Glanusk had died.

Lord and Lady Glanusk, who was one the platform at the ceremony, were both prominently associated with the life of Breckonshire, Lord Glanusk being its lord lieutenant, as was also his father.

Lord Glanusk was born in 1864, and succeeded to the title upon the death of his father in 1899.

MAIL PLANE RETURNS FROM MAGDALEN IS.

PORT ELGIN, N.S., Jan. 11.—The first trip of the mail service between Moncton and the Magdalen Islands was carried out successfully today, but Pilot E. J. Cooper and his companion, in making the return trip to Moncton, ran into a blinding snowstorm on approaching the New Brunswick shore, and landed in a cove at North Shore, near here, about 4 o'clock. Cooper said tonight they would hop off for Moncton with the next high tide if the weather cleared sufficiently. The plane made a perfect landing at North Shore, and was moored there for safety. The plane carried 700 pounds of mail.

WATERWAY REPORT NOT MADE PUBLIC

OTTAWA, Jan. 11.—Premier King declined to make any announcement with respect to the report of the National Advisory Committee on St. Lawrence Waterways this evening. The Prime Minister stated merely that the report had been received. As the subjects treated in it were matters of international negotiation, it seems likely that no announcement will be forthcoming until Parliament meets.

LONDON GIRL GIVES HEROIC AID IN FLOOD

Two Boys and Woman Saved by Swimmer Who Has to Dive Through a Window to Find Them

BADLY CUT BY WINDOW GLASS

Stirring Narrative Is Related By Witnesses Before Westminster Coroner — Ovation Given

LONDON, Jan. 11.—"If we have girls like this, we need not fear for the future generation of English people," declared the Westminster coroner today, after his court had heard how Marjorie Franckeiss, aged twenty, rescued a woman and two boys from drowning during Saturday's floods.

The girl told her story with obvious reluctance to dwell upon her own part in it. At 2 o'clock in the morning she awoke to find the water at her window ledge, and a few minutes later she and the other woman were washed out of the room by the force of the water. "I was swept into another room," she said, "and we crouched on a bed floating near the ceiling. I finally got out of the window and, while swimming, managed to relieve myself of my dressing gown."

What followed was told by another witness, who saw her swimming outside her own doomed house. "Miss Franckeiss swam to our window," he related, "but refused to take hold of the sheet we held out, and asked where the others were. She pulled her brother up, and we told her Mrs. Watson and Billy were in a room underneath.

DIVES FOR THEM

"I saw Miss Franckeiss dive and swim through that window, reappearing with the little boy, whom we pulled up. She still refused our help, but dived in again and got Mrs. Watson.

"The girl was exhausted," he continued, "but still would not desist until she saw Mrs. Watson saved. She placed a second sheet under Mrs. Watson while swimming around her. She then allowed herself to be hauled up by my wife and maid. Her legs were badly cut by window glass."

Miss Franckeiss was driven to the inquest today from Fulham Hospital, where she had been confined since Saturday. She received a great ovation upon arriving and leaving.

AMBASSADOR'S SON NOT TO BE CHARGED

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—John S. DeForest, weather bureau paymaster, does not contemplate any action against Henry A. Howard, fourteen-year-old son of Sir Esme Howard, British Ambassador, who was driver of the embassy automobile when it struck and severely injured Mr. DeForest's daughter, Beatrice.

"We are entirely satisfied," Mr. DeForest said in a statement today, "with the sincere personal interest the Ambassador, his wife and family have shown by their visits and offers of assistance."

Fire in Bombay

BOMBAY, Jan. 11.—Fire at the Sewri Cotton Green, where cotton is stored in the open air, did great damage today to 5,000 bales of cotton, the estimated loss being about $160,000.

FARMER WANTS TARIFF POLICY

Ottawa Government Has None, Says Progressive Member — Tariff Board Attacked

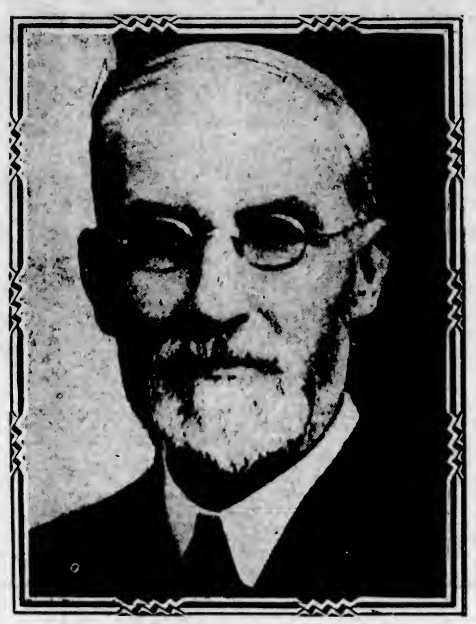
PORTAGE LA PRAIRIE, Jan. 11.—An attack upon the Federal Advisory Tariff Board in which he urged the organized farmers of Canada to demand its abolition, was delivered by T. W. Bird, Progressive member of Parliament for Nelson, Man., at today's session of the United Farmers of Manitoba convention. The discussion developed out of consideration of a resolution calling upon the farmers of Manitoba to increase their financial support of the Canadian Council of Agriculture in its fight to protect the legislative interests of the farmers of the Dominion.

Mr. Bird was bitter in his condemnation of tariff boards in general, declaring that such agencies were "merely buffers between the Government and public opinion and were created solely as a means of shifting responsibility." The speaker described tariff boards as a "menace," a "government shock absorber," and an instrument that "might serve as a veil behind which schemes were fostered to the disadvantage of the common people."

The tariff question, Mr. Bird maintained, should be tackled in the full view of enlightened public opinion. The Mackenzie King Government could say at once that there would be no further increase in the tariff structure of the country.

"This the Government has elected not to do, because it has no convictions at all on tariff. As farmers it is our duty to ask the Government to dispense with this tariff board," Mr. Bird asserted.

Late Dean of McMaster



Dean J. H. Farmer, of McMaster University, who passed away recently in his seventieth year. He was very prominent in Baptist education endeavors in Canada.

REAL CANADIAN SPIRIT IS URGED

Mr. D. B. Plunkett, in Address on "The Maple Leaf," Says Demand Is for National Sentiment

SPEAKS TO McBRIDE CONSERVATIVE CLUB

"The demand today is for a national sentiment in Canada," stated Mr. D. B. Plunkett, ex-president of the Victoria Conservative Association, in addressing the McBride Conservative Club last evening. "Have that national sentiment taught in the schools. Have a Canadian national anthem taught in the schools together with the British National Anthem," he added in making an impassioned appeal for the development of a sentiment of patriotism in this country.

The subject was introduced by Mr. Plunkett in an address on "The Maple Leaf." In doing so he called attention to the fact that Canada was fortunate in the choice of a national emblem, both in an animal way and in the floral line. It had in the former the beaver, which was an animal that differed from the ordinary emblems of countries in not being ferocious, but which attended assiduously to its duty, a course which should be characteristic of the Canadian people.

The maple, in the other line, was emblematic inasmuch at it was not something that required great attention in its cultivation and rearing like the floral emblems often adopted, as the rose, the thistle, and the shamrock.

BEAUTIFUL MAPLES

He went on to show the wonderful uses to which the maple was put in the Eastern provinces in the form of the hard maple and the important part it played in the life of the settlers in the older provinces of Ontario and Quebec. Its umbrageous leaves afforded friendly and welcome shelter in the month of June, and from then on until the fall of the year. As the Winter approached the grandeur of the maple forests when the leaves turned to the wide variety of colors, was painted by the speaker. Then in the cold Winter the maple furnished the best of wood that could be obtained. As Spring came on the maple woods furnished in the line of food the maple syrup and maple sugar to-

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"Blind Justice," by Ina Leon Cassilis, To Run in Colonist

"'I FORBID the banns.'

"The effect was electrical; a thunderbolt dropping into the midst of the crowded congregation, a bomb thrown by an unseen hand into the nave could not have been more startling. The priest paused . . ."

The curtain goes up with a thrill in "Blind Justice," the serial story that is to run in The Colonist daily, beginning on Sunday next.

The tale is by Ina Leon Cassilis, known to the reading public as the author of "A Red Dawn," "Poison of the Asp" and "The Rift in the Lute."

The marriage so suddenly threatened is between Anthony Gascoigne and Doreen Holme, "of this parish of St. Clement's, Kensington." Just what happens is a secret which only the pages of "Blind Justice" will tell.

Begin with the first instalment in The Colonist on Sunday.

Irish Free State President on Way To North America

SOUTHAMPTON, Jan. 11.—William T. Cosgrave, president of the Irish Free State, and his party, sailed for a visit to Canada and the United States today aboard the steamer Homeric. The president plans to spend about ten days in North America, including a trip to Canada. The visit has been described as purely one of courtesy.

"This is a visit that we have looked forward to for a number of years," President Cosgrave said just before sailing. "I firmly believe that the visit will make still happier the relations between Ireland and America."

KING TO RECEIVE FARMER TOURISTS

MONTREAL, Jan. 11.—That His Majesty the King will receive the Canadian farmers' party now on tour was the effect of a cable received today at headquarters of the Canadian National Railways. This group of farmers from all provinces is now on the high sea.

H.R.H. the Prince of Wales had previously announced his intention of receiving the Canadians, who will also have the benefit of meeting technical advisers of the Ministry of Agriculture.

His Majesty will receive the Canadian farmers' party at Buckingham Palace at 5 o'clock on the afternoon of Saturday, February 4.

JUDGE'S RULING HELD AT FAULT

HIGH OTTAWA OFFICIALS CONDEMN REFUSAL OF NATURALIZATION

Japanese Origin Not Stated in Naturalization Act to Be Disqualification

OTTAWA, Jan. 11.—The action of Judge Grant, Vancouver, in refusing to recommend several Japanese applicants for Canadian citizenship on the ground that Japanese were not assimilable to the Anglo-Saxon race was a violation of the provisions of the Naturalization Act; and in so doing the Vancouver judge exceeded his duties as these are governed by the Act. This was the comment today of high officials of the Department of the Secretary of State, when attention was drawn to the Vancouver dispatch quoting Judge Grant's decision. It was pointed out that the Naturalization Act lays down no requirements from an applicant as to whether his racial origin is of a nature that would make him assimilable or not. It was further declared by the officials here that that the Act stated plainly that grant of a certificate of naturalization was in the absolute direction of the Secretary of State. A judge's report, the officials declared, should be based upon inquiries into the applicant's fitness and qualifications as these were governed by the Act; it should deal with legally proved facts and not opinions.

MOSCOW PUZZLED

BERLIN, Jan. 11.—Just what the Moscow Government intends to do with a number of opposition leaders who have been marked for discipline is somewhat of a mystery, and so far as Soviet quarters in Berlin are informed, the proposed deportations of these men have not yet been effective. Leon Trotsky, Karl Radek, Gregory Zinovieff, Leon Kamenoff, and Christian Rakosky, former Soviet Ambassador to France, are reported to be among those who are to feel the weight of the Soviet government's hand.

LITERATURE IN ENGLAND LOSES DEAN

Mr. Thomas Hardy Dies in Wessex Home — Last of Great Victorian Authors Passes From New Era

ONCE LEADER OF LATEST MOVEMENT

Foremost Novelist in King Edward's Reign Becomes Centre of Homage in Long Old Age

DORCHESTER, Jan. 11.—Thomas Hardy, dean of English literature, died tonight at his home here after a month's illness. The famous eighty-seven-year-old novelist had a chill on December 12, and thereafter his condition was alternately hopeful and then critical, but his age imposed heavy odds against his recovery. Death came at 9 o'clock after optimistic reports today. With Mr. Hardy's death one of the greatest of the Victorians passed away. The scenes of his novels of English life were laid in his beloved Wessex, where he lived most of his eighty-seven years. Mr. Hardy died in surroundings which he, no doubt, would have chosen for his end. The historic countryside of his home was to him the most loved of spots.

HIS HOME

More than forty years ago the novelist planned and built a fine red brick and stone country house which has been his home and sanctum ever since; it was in this home that he



MR. THOMAS HARDY

produced some of the classic literature of modern times. His estate is in a beautiful undulating countryside about one mile from the ancient Roman town of Dorchester. When he selected the site it was part of the Duchy of Cornwall, and belonged to the then Prince of Wales, later King Edward VII, but through the intervention of the Prince himself, Mr. Hardy was allowed to purchase two acres.

Mr. Hardy never deserted the home which he loved so well. His declining years were spent largely in composing verse in his study, from the windows of which he could see his trees, and the birds he had encouraged to build in them.

UNPUBLISHED WORK

Whether any of Mr. Hardy's recent poetry will ever be given to the public is problematical. Mr. Hardy is said to have written it for himself and his friends, feeling that he had completed his life work.

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Comment Needless

OTTAWA, Jan. 11.—W. H. Moore, chairman of the Federal Tariff Board, had no comment to make this evening when criticism leveled at the board by T. W. Bird, Progressive M.P. for Nelson, Manitoba, was referred to him.

"It's his opinion," said Chairman Moore, when Mr. Bird's remarks with regard to the Tariff Board were read to him.

LONDON RELIEF FUNDS DISPUTED

Mayor of Poor Borough Complains That Mayor of Wealthy Borough Will Not Pool Gifts

LONDON, Jan. 11.—A controversy between mayors of London boroughs regarding the division of relief funds, has been one aftermath of the flood which invaded London last week-end. At a special meeting of the Poplar Council, Mayor Wooster announced that fifty-five houses had been flooded in the borough, and stated that the local fund for the alleviation of suffering totaled £130. He referred to the arrangement between some of the mayors to pool their funds, and declared that the Mayor of Westminster, whose fund exceeds £10,000, refused to enter the arrangement. Westminster, he stated, was only willing to assist the other boroughs if a surplus remained after the distressed in its own area received attention.

At a meeting of the West Ham Council, it was revealed that the flooded houses in that district totaled 2,733. The Lord Mayor of London's fund of £8,000 will be applied according to the needs of the various localities affected by the floods.

Steamship Griffco in Great Peril in Storm Off Washington Coast

Faint SOS. Calls, With Failure to Give Position and Subsequent Silence, Creates Grave Fears for Vessel—No Reply to Land Signals Received

Ship Left Seattle This Week for Honolulu With 23 Persons Aboard

SEATTLE, Jan. 11.—The Seattle Harbor Radio tonight intercepted an SOS. call from the steamship Griffco, en route from Seattle to Honolulu. In its first distress call the Griffco gave no details. The vessel's position was estimated at 300 miles south of Cape Flattery, Wash. Several weeks ago the Griffco, a steamer of 1,463 tons gross, was sold by James Griffiths & Sons to a Hawaiian concern. The ship left here this week to enter the Hawaiian interisland trade.

Forty minutes after the first SOS. message nothing further had been heard from the distressed vessel. Radio men along the coast who were making frantic efforts to get in communication with the Griffco, took the ship's silence as portending possible disaster aboard her.

Reports received here by the United States Weather Bureau indicated that a gale was raging off the Washington coast. Storm signals had been posted all day.

The Griffco was being taken to Honolulu by Captain Herbert Martin for delivery to the Interisland Steam Navigation Co., it's new owner. In addition to Captain Martin, there were twenty-three persons aboard the freighter when it left Seattle Monday night. Shipping men here said Captain Martin's home was in Honolulu.

SECOND CALL

At 11:30 a second SOS. was heard by the Oriental Dock Radio at Everett, which said the signals were faint. The SOS. was followed by the name of the ship and the word "help", the station reported. No position was given. It is customary, radio men said, to give the position of the vessel after the SOS. and the name of the ship.

C. B. Warren, manager here for the shipping concern of Alexander & Baldwin, said that Orroll, of Honolulu, port engineer for the Interisland Steam Navigation Co., was the only passenger aboard the Griffco. An hour and a half after the second distress call at 11:30 nothing further had been heard from the Griffco.

Captain John Berry, commandant of the United States Coastguard in the North Pacific, announced at midnight that the cutter Haida would leave Seattle at once, in an effort to locate the distressed ship. The cutter Snohomish, at Astoria, Ore., was ordered held in readiness to give further assistance if it was needed.

HEARD AT PORTLAND

PORTLAND, Jan. 11.—The Federal Telegraph Company intercepted SOS. calls from the coastwise steamer Griffco late tonight. The distress signals were followed by the call KDFM, said by the telegraph company to be that of the Griffco. The signals, received by the Federal Telegraph, a local amateur and the coastguard cutter Snohomish, at Astoria, were said to be so weak as to be barely distinguishable.

At 11:30 p.m., the Federal Telegraph again picked up the distress signals but the ship gave no indication of her position.

The Federal company said they were unable to work the Griffco, due either to the distance of the vessel or to failure of radio apparatus on the ship.

Conference of Bishops to Last For Three Days

LONDON, Jan. 11.—The strictest privacy characterized the discussions between the Anglican Bishops on the prayer book, which opened at Lambeth Palace today, and will continue until Friday. A statement may possibly be issued when the deliberations close.

BY-ELECTIONS COME SHORTLY

THREE-CORNERED CONTEST IS ASSURED IN NORTH ENGLISH RIDING

Independent Conservative States His Intention to Continue War Against Ministry

LONDON, Jan. 11.—E. A. Hailwood, Independent Conservative candidate, who was defeated in the Northampton by-election yesterday when Col. Malone, Labor, won a three-cornered contest, threatens to carry into impending by-elections his charges that Premier Stanley Baldwin has failed to redeem his pledges. Mr. Hailwood proposed to continue these charges in West Bristol, Lancaster and Favorsham, conducting simultaneous campaigns with the aid of an airplane.

Mr. Hailwood is a director of a well known Yorkshire glassmaking firm and is wealthy enough to afford such an enterprise. There is no legal bar to his carrying out the threat.

The contest in Lancaster already promises to be interesting. It was brought on by the elevation of Sir Gerald H. Strickland, Conservative member, to the peerage. Harold Ramsbottom, Conservative candidate, has been preparing for some months, since Sir Gerald announced he would not seek re-election, but the seat is notoriously hazardous from a Conservative point of view. R. P. Tomlinson, Liberal, and Rev. Dr. Davies, Socialist, will make effective opponents. Mr. Tomlinson is well known in the constituency, living in the adjacent Fylde district. Rev. Dr. Davies is a Congregational minister in the nearby town of Southport. The agricultural vote will probably be the dominant factor in this by-election.

In West Bristol the Conservative caucus has still to select the Government candidate, but Lady Clare Annesley, Labor candidate, is already campaigning. The seat was held by Rt. Hon. George Gibbs, Conservative, who has been elevated to the peerage. A Liberal candidate may be chosen soon.

Unexplained Pardon

SOFIA, Bulgaria, Jan. 11.—King Boris today sustained his title of "The Pardoning King," by freeing the French Communist, Eugene Leger, from life imprisonment. Leger was one of the ringleaders in the bombing of the cathedral in Sofia in 1925 with the loss of more than 100 lives.

JANUARY RAINS BREAK RECORD

Yesterday Wettest Day for Month in Thirty-Three Years, Says Mr. Napier Denison

5.34 INCHES FALL IN ELEVEN DAYS

With 5.34 inches of rain for the eleven days of January up to 10 p.m. yesterday, Victoria weather is qualifying for its greatest January precipitation. The average rainfall for the whole month of January, based on records taken for the past fifty years, is only 4.39 inches, an amount which has already been exceeded in eleven days.

"It is going to be an abnormal month," says Mr. Napier Denison, director of the Gonzales Meteorological Observatory. The prophecy is based on conditions to the north. Tremendous Alaskan storms, moving eastward from the Aleutian Islands and passing inland across the province, are creating southerly winds, so that mild temperatures are being experienced, not only on the western coast, but right through to the prairies, which, under the influence of the ocean storms, have had temperatures as high as 38 and 40 degrees.

The rainfall during the twenty-two hours from midnight on Tuesday to 10 o'clock last night amounted to 2.10 inches, which is the heaviest rainfall recorded on any day in January since 1895. In that year on one day 2.30 inches fell during the twenty-four hours. The heaviest day's rainfall ever recorded here, since records have been kept for the last fifty-five years, was in 1895, when in one twenty-four hours there was 2.40 inches.

MORE CANADIAN CLUBS PLANNED

Those Formed in Outlying Towns Can Hear City Speakers Over Radio, Is Argument

VANCOUVER, Jan. 11.—Organization of Canadian Clubs in every city and town in the province, and the utilization of the radio to broadcast to them addresses delivered at luncheons of the Vancouver Club was proposed at a meeting today of the directors of the local club and favorably received. Colonel J. S. Tait, a past president of the Vancouver Club, in outlining the proposal, said that "with broadcasting service as now perfected it is now comparatively simple to organize Canadian Clubs in all centres of British Columbia population so that the people in the hills and dales, as well as those in the small towns, can have the advantage of hearing speeches from Vancouver."

The directors took steps to investigate ways and means of organizing clubs throughout the province along the lines suggested by Colonel Tait.

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Mr. D. B. Plunkett, in Address on "The Maple Leaf," Says Demand Is for National Sentiment

SPEAKS TO McBRIDE CONSERVATIVE CLUB

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gether with the delicious maple taffy.

Mr. Plunkett went into the other uses of the maple which furnished the most convenient wood for the farmer in various lines and which was the source of the finest of hardwood floors and of bird's-eye maple furniture.

As far as the use of the maple leaf as an emblem was concerned, he said that he had found that it was utilized in 1829 on the regimental colors of the old 100th Royal Canadian Regiment. In the year 1860, in the reception to the Prince of Wales in Toronto, it was worn by all in the parade.

The maple leaf had been accepted generally as the floral badge of Canada, but he could not find that there was any statutory enactment creating either the beaver or the maple leaf as the emblem of the country. It was used in various ways, but he felt that there should be an enactment to this effect introduced into the Dominion House. He advocated that the Legislature move in the matter in calling the attention of the Dominion to this matter.

"The visiting Englishman was about right who said last Summer that 'Canadians talk too much,' and he might have added 'do nothing,'" said Mr. Plunkett, in pressing for action along this line.

A NATIONAL ANTHEM

Rt. Hon Mackenzie King talked of the need for a new flag in Quebec Province, said the speaker. Mr. present flag was good enough. Mr. King could, however, do a real service by seeing that Canada had a national anthem, to be sung with "God Save the King."

Mr. Plunkett went on to advocate a national policy such as Sir John A. Macdonald would support, were he here today. There was no use talking protection without an adequate protection. The United States tariff was three times as high as the Canadian one. The result was that while Canada sent largely raw materials to the United States to be manufactured, the United States sent to Canada something like $234,000,000 more to Canada, in the form mostly of manufactured goods.

OPENING OF SEASON

The meeting of the McBride Club was the first one for the present year. In opening the proceedings, Mr. P. J. Sinnott, the president, reviewed the successful course of the past twelve months, and hoped for a similar condition of affairs this year.

He welcomed to the meeting Miss Lottie Bowron, the president of the Women's Conservative Association, and Mr. Fred C. Elliott, the president of the Victoria Conservative Association. Regrets were sent by Mr. R. A. Wootton and Mr. Leonard Tait, vice-presidents of the association, at being unable to attend.

Following the address the floor was cleared and dancing indulged in. Refreshments were served during the evening.

Musical selections were rendered during the evening by Mr. Fred Wright and Mr. Ernie Impett.

Alaska Survey

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—Alaska will receive several million dollars from the National Government if the appropriation bill recommended by the Department of Interior today passes. The bill included $64,500 for a survey of the mineral resources in Alaska.

Mouth organs are so popular in all parts of the world that harmonica factories in Germany are rushed with orders.

Fund for Research Into "Common Cold"

BALTIMORE, Md., Jan. 11.—A gift of $195,000 to Johns Hopkin University for the study of the origin, nature and possible cure of the common cold, was announced yesterday.

The gift, to be known as "the John J. Abel Fund for Research on the Common Cold," was made by the Chemical Foundation to the school of public health and hygiene.

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LITERATURE IN ENGLAND LOSES DEAN

Mr. Thoma Hardy Dies in Wessex Home — Last of Great Victorian Authors Passes From New Era

ONCE LEADER OF LATEST MOVEMENT

Foremost Novelist in King Edward's Reign Becomes Centre of Homage in Long Old Age

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In his later years, Mrs. Hardy, his second wife, much younger than himself, was the novelist's secretary, and encouraged him in poetic work. She herself is a writer, but abandoned most of her own work in order to remain loyally and constantly at her husband's side.

Thomas Hardy was born in Dorsetshire, England, June 2, 1840. His family on both sides had long been associated with the West of England. He was educated at local schools, and afterwards privately in Dorsetshire. At the age of sixteen he was articled to Mr. John Hicks, an ecclesiastical architect in Dorsetshire, and studied for a time at King's College, London. He worked as an architect—especially in he Gothic school—under Sir A. Bloomfield in London from 1862 to 1867, and though he deserted it for literature the following year, the influence of his early studies was left upon his writing. From the days when Hardy took professional excursions to different village churches to see if they were worth restoring, he steeped himself in the lore of his native county. He won awards as an architect for design before leaving that profession.

His first publication was an article in Chambers' Journal (March, 1865), entitled, "How I Built Myself a House," and after an unsuccessful attempt called "The Poor Man and the Lady," which George Meredith advised him to reconsider, he brought forth his first novel, "Desperate Remedies" (1871), regarded as a fantastic effort. Next came "Under the Greenwood Tree" (1872), an idyllic love story, or, as the title page has it, "A Rural Painting of the Dutch School." "A Pair of Blue Eyes" (1873) marked Hardy's progress in the study of whimsicalities of womankind, and their resultant tragedy; but "Far From the Madding Crowd" was the book which first gained him popular favor. While running as an anonymous serial in The Cornhill Magazine throughout the year 1874, it was attributed to George Eliot. In that year he married his first wife. A farcical production called "The Hand of Ethelberta: A Comedy in Chapters" (1876), illustrated by George Du Maurier, preceded "The Return of the Native" (1878), which is the most sombre and characteristic of his novels.

In The Trumpet Major (1880), he returned to his earlier manner of the Greenwood Tree and the Madding Crowd. A Loadicean (1881) justifies the name, in being neither cold nor hot. The tale Two On a Tower (1882) develops a very curious and complicated situation with much skill. But he is tethered to Wessex, and paints more confidently on that background, in The Romantic Adventures of a Milkmaid (1883), and in the Mayor of Casterbridge (1886). The Life and Death of a Man of Character (1886).

THE FAMOUS TESS

The Woodlanders (1887), though flanked by The Return of The Native and Tess of The D'Urbervilles (1891), suffers from comparison with neither, expresses the same intimate kinship of man with nature, and gives like instances of true nobility engaged in the lowliest occupations. Of the Wessex Tales (1888), gathered from different magazines, the strongest is The Three Strangers (Longman's, March (1883), which was dramatized under the title The Three Wayfarers, and produced at Terry's Theatre in London, (1893), eleven years after Comyns Carr's version of Far From the Madding Crowd had been seen in Liverpool, and in the Globe Theatre, London. Another collection of short stories entitled A Group of Noble Dames (1891) preceded the publication of Tess of the D'Urbervilles, and A Pure Woman Faithfully Presented (1891), through which Hardy became most widely known.

A dramatization of Tess, made by Lorrimer Stoddard (1897) and taking no more than the usual liberties with the original plot, gave Mrs. Minnie Madden Fiske the means for defending, even more effectively than does the author, the characterization of the heroine.

Whatever else may be said of Jude the Obscure (1895), it seems quite apparent that here Hardy gives the fullest expression to his genius for minute and mercilless character analysis.

Life's Little Ironies (1894) are short stories evidencing Hardy's grim sense of humor no less than his appreciation of values. He knows and shows how few among the coveted prizes of life are worth a struggle. The Well-Beloved, which was serially published in 1892, and in book form five years later, came next. The reciprocal feeling of his native country found expression in his appointment as one of its magistrates (1894).

Some of Hardy's earliest efforts were in verse, and the stray poetical productions of thirty years were collected in two volumes, Wessex Poems (1899), and Poems of the Past and Present (1901).

AS LYRICAL POET

Of late years Mr. Hardy had received increasing recognition, not only as a great novelist, but also as a poet. His epic-drama "The Dynasts," a chronicle play of the struggle against Napoleon, was produced in London in the early days of the World War, and again at Oxford in 1920. Several volumes of lyrical poetry have appeared, as in 1916 and 1919.

It was not until his seventieth year that he developed his genius as a lyrical poet, beginning with "Time's Laughing-Stocks," and continuing to "For Phantasies," in 1925, and creating a reputation which has placed him in the forefront as a lyrical poet, which alone would have secured him a unique position in modern English literature.

In 1914 he married his second wife, Florence Emily Dugdale.

Recognition by the State of his place in English literature came with the conferring of the Order of Merit upon him.

HIS INFLUENCE

Arthur Symons, in a biography of Mr. Hardy, says: "There is almost no passion in his work, neither the author nor his characters ever seeming able to pass beyond the state of curiosity, sometimes seems to broaden into a more intimate communion. The heath, the village with its peasants, the change of every hour among the fields and on the roads of that English countryside, which he has made his own—the Dorsetshire and Wiltshire 'Wessex'—mean more to him, in a sense, than even the spectacle of man and woman in their blind and painful and absorbing struggle for existence. His knowledge of woman confirms him in a suspension of judgment; his knowledge of nature brings him nearer to the unchanging and consoling element in the world. All entertainment which he gets out of life comes to him from his contemplation of the peasant, as himself a rooted part of the earth, translating the dumbness of the fields into humor. His peasants have been compared with the Shakespeare's; as has the Shakespearean sense of their placid vegetation by the side of hurrying animal life, to which they act the part of chorus, with an unconscious wisdom in their close, narrow and undistracted view of things."

Nelson Police Inquiry Over Till Election

NELSON, B. C., Jan. 11.—After hearing Dr. W. O. Rose certify that Chief of Police Thomas H. Long was in hospital with his leg in cast, having put himself back several weeks by his attendance at the inquiry last week, the police commission tonight adjourned the inquiry into the charges of incompetence filed against the chief, to a date that will give him two weeks to prepare his case after he is discharged from hospital.

Alex. Stewart, dismissed from the force on which he was sergeant, after the commissioners had cleared Constable Ralph Hale of the charge Stewart made against him, was represented by counsel, who submitted a letter from Stewart asking for a rehearing and reinstatement. Stewart's application will come up at the same time as the inquiry against Long.

Police Commissioner P. J. Sheran, who is a candidate for re-election in the civic elections tomorrow, is opposed by W. T. Choate.

Tokio, Japan, is to have a new hospital costing $2,350,000.

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Nicaraguan Rebel Leader



GEN. Augusto C. Sandino, leader of the Nicaraguan rebel forces, who is directing the efforts of the insurgent Nicaraguans in their pitched battle with the United States marines at Quilali. According to Maj.-Gen. John A. Lejeune, marine corps commander, Sandino is a "bandit and murderer." Efforts are being made to eliminate him before the presidential elections. Sandino is part Indian and calls his men "the wild beasts of the mountains." Their flag is a skull and crossbones.

TO BUILD UP TRADE WITH LATIN LANDS

Ottawa to Make Real Effort to Develop Commerce With Countries of South America in Large Way

STEAMSHIP LINES TO CALL AT PORTS

Trade Commissioner to Be Appointed for Peru and Pacific Coast Generally—Publicity Work

TORONTO, Jan. 11.—In an effort to extend Canada's trade in Latin-American countries, the Department of Trade and Commerce has under consideration, the possibility of inaugurating steamship services between this country and the nations of Central and South America. A Canadian trade commissioner office will be established in Lima, Peru, the commissioner to have jurisdiction over Peru, Bolivia and Ecuador. The office will be filled at the earliest possible date by a promotion from within the service. The department will also arrange to furnish the newspapers of South and Central American countries with a constant stream of news from Canada.

These announcements were made here tonight by F. C. T. O'Hara, Deputy Minister of Trade and Commerce, addressing the Export Club of Toronto and District.

Mr. O'Hara has recently completed a 14,000-mile trip through South America, Central America, Cuba and Mexico, and emphasized in tonight's address the great possibilities for development of trade with the countries he visited.

SENATE AT OTTAWA BECOMING LIBERAL

OTTAWA, Jan. 11.—Time has decimated the Conservative members in the Senate until the powerful majority in the Upper House in 1921 has been reduced to six.

Both parties are approaching equality in numbers. With the filling of three vacancies on Tuesday, the party standing is now: Conservatives fifty-one; Liberals, forty-three; Progressive, one, and vacant one.

The vacant seat is from Quebec. In the Senate, as in the Commons, there is always an absentee list, so the actual numbers of majorities or minorities cannot be assumed to be inflexible.

Trotzky Stands Pat

LONDON, Jan. 11.—Unconfirmed reports reached London today that Leon Trotzky has refused to leave Moscow, despite orders for his banishment.

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ELECTRIC SHIP GIVEN TRIALS

BRITISH EXPERTS STUDY PERFORMANCE OF ELECTRICALLY DRIVEN LINER

California Exceeds Speed of Eighteen Knots—Will be Intercoastal Vessel

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 11.—Sea trials of the new Panama-Pacific electric-driven liner California, which will operate between New York and San Francisco, were held last Saturday off the Virginia capes, according to announcement received here yesterday by Leo E. Archer, Pacific Coast manager of the company. The trials, according to Archer, were perfect in every respect, and the new liner exceeded all expectations.

The California, which is the first of three new vessels to be built by the Panama-Pacific Line for the company's intercoastal service, will sail from New York to San Francisco on January 28. The new liner is due to arrive here on February 13, and will come to the West Coast on her maiden voyage with a capacity list of passengers and cargo.

MEETS ALL TESTS

In tests lasting twelve hours the new queen of the American merchant marine met every contract requirement for speed, according to advices received here by Archer. The vessel proved exceptionally easy to handle and the control, driving and auxiliary machinery, which are operated by electricity, worked perfectly.

Running thirty-two miles under only one set of turbo-generators, with both driving motors functioning, the California made fifteen knots at seventy-seven revolutions. With both generators and screws making 120 revolutions, the California not exceeded a speed of eighteen knots.

While at full speed the California's sixteen-foot amater driving motors operated silently and with such little vibration that passengers in the accommodations looked out of ports to determine whether the ship was actually moving.

The trials of the liner were observed by about 200 shipping experts, including technical observers from two leading British shipping companies sent to America to study the new form of propulsion under service conditions.

The equipment and decorations of the California are now practically complete, and delivery of the liner will be made to the International Mercantile Marine Company by the builders on Thursday. The vessel will be on exhibition during her two weeks' stay in New York prior to her first sailing for California on January 28.

The California will make the voyage from New York to San Francisco in sixteen days flat, as compared with eighteen days now required by the Mongolia, Manchuria and Finland.

MRS. RUTH SNYDER'S HANGING DEFERRED

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—Mrs. Ruth Snyder, whose execution for the murder of her husband had been set for tomorrow night, was granted a stay tonight until 10 a.m., Friday, by Supreme Court Justice Aaron J. Levy. The stay was granted pending hearing of the suit brought by the Prudential Life Insurance Co. to avoid payment of $97,000 on the life of her husband, Albert Snyder.

The application tonight to Supreme Court Justice Levy was an unexpected move on the part of Mrs. Snyder's attorneys, as it had been announced that a writ of habeas corpus would be sought in Federal Court.

The application was said to have been made in behalf of Lorrain Snyder, who has been made defendant in the insurance suit, on the ground that the execution of her mother would destroy the defence.

Meeting Is Called to Consider Athletic Park

In a letter which is being sent out to various athletic bodies in the city by the Junior Chamber of Commerce the request is made to send representatives to a meeting on Monday at, 8 o'clock in the lounge room of the Chamber of Commerce when the matter of the Royal Athletic Park and its need of improvements will be considered. The advisability of making representations to the city council along these lines will be taken up. In the letter it is stated that "It has been drawn to the notice of the Junior Chamber of Commerce that the grounds of the Royal Athletic Park are badly in need of immediate improvements, that they are the only grounds in Victoria which are capable of drawing a crowd when a charge is made; that there is no water supply for bathing wounds and that the condition of the grounds in general presents a very poor showing of Victoria's interest in sports, when arrangements are made for outside teams to visit the city."

Child Shoots Boy

CALGARY, Jan. 11.—Police are seeking Albert Cutworth, eleven, following the death of Pete Corradetti, thirteen, in a shooting affray which occurred here Wednesday. George Sears told the police the three had gone shooting.

Cutforth, he alleged, had called a warning "Look out, I'm going to shoot." Then he snatched a .22 rifle from under Corradetti's arm. With Corradetti, Sears ran for the shelter of a box car, then heard a shot and the Italian boy fell. When the police reached the scene Corradetti was dead and his companions had fled. Young Sears was later apprehended.

Philadelphia Fire

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 11.—One eight-year-old girl lost her life and at least six other children were seriously injured today in a fire that swept the upper part of the Germantown Community Centre here, where more than 100 children assembled. The dead child was Frances Pifano.

Oil in Queensland

VANCOUVER, Jan. 11.—Black gold may ransom the State of Queensland, Australia, from the prison of debt and depression to which she has been confined, according to cables received by the Hon. Digby Denham, ex-Premier of Queensland, who sails for home on the R.M.S. Aorangi today. For more than thirteen years, said Mr. Denham, the oil possibilities of Queensland have been evident, but whether the fields were workable was a doubtful matter.

"I have received messages," Mr. Denham stated, "which confirm my earlier hopes. There are quantities of oil in Queensland, and I am confident that the discoveries will bring about an era of prosperity."

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CHARLES BLAND GOES TO JAIL

JUDGE LAMPMAN SENTENCES WIFE-BEATER TO THREE MONTHS AT OAKALLA

Accused Handles Own Case and Exhaustively Cross-Examines Witnesses

Charles Bland was sentenced in the County Court here yesterday, by His Honor Judge F. S. Lampman, to serve three months in Oakalla prison for assaulting and beating his wife, Jean Bland, and thereby occasioning her bodily harm. The sentence started yesterday, and is exclusive of the two months Bland has already spent in jail awaiting the hearing of his trial.

Chief of Police John Fry, the first Crown witness, stated that Mrs. Jean Bland, wife of the accused, came to his office on November 25, 1927, and said that her husband had assaulted her. Mrs. Bland, said witness, had at that time a large scar on the left side of her nose, a black eye, and bruises on her right arm.

TELLS OF ASSAULT

Mrs. Bland, who outlined the details of the assault, said that she lived at 2646 Prior Street, and had been married to Bland for twelve years. They had six children, the eldest of whom was nine years of age, and the youngest two years. Witness said that her husband, on November 25, punched and struck her five or six times, giving her a black eye, marking her face, and bruising her body in various places.

Witness said she told her husband that she would have him arrested, and Bland then said: "If that's what you're going to do, I'll punch you some more." That is what he did, she testified.

Under cross-examination, Mrs. Bland admitted she had a stick in her hand when she was being assaulted, but stated that she was unable to strike her husband with it because he took it from her. She denied the suggestion that she struck herself with the stick, but affirmed that it was Bland's fist which had struck the blows on her body. She said her husband was a heavy drinker, and had been interdicted a long time ago. He had not properly cared for their children or herself, she alleged.

BLAND MAKES STATEMENT

Bland did not take the witness stand in his own defence, but made a statement to the court. He suggested that the marks on his wife's body were made by the stick which Mrs. Bland held in her hand. If there had been assault, it was done under strong provocation or perhaps during a fit of insanity, he claimed. He placed the responsibility of home troubles upon his wife, and said that she wished to shirk her domestic duties and break up the home. He stated that he was a family man, and could work and support his family.

Mr. H. E. A. Courtney acted as Crown counsel, while Bland conducted his own defence. Both Chief Fry and Mrs. Bland were exhaustively cross-examined by the accused, who had a notebook for taking notes and read out questions to the witnesses at great length.

Judge Lampman, in delivering sentence, said that there was no room for doubt that the accused was guilty of assaulting his wife. He said he had not much sympathy with people who assaulted other persons. Bland had made his case worse by the cross-examination he subjected his wife to. The chief trouble appeared to be that the accused drank too heavily, and spent his money for liquor which he should have used in buying food for his family, His Honor declared.

COMMISSIONER TO COME LATER

Mr. A. S. Bleakney, Canadian Representative in Brazil, Will Visit Here Before Going East

It is not expected that Mr. A. S. Bleakney, Canadian Trade Commissioner in Brazil, who is Wintering in Vancouver, will arrive here until late in February.

While the Vancouver Board of Trade foreign trade bureau entertained Mr. Bleakney last week, on which occasion he gave an interesting talk on Brazil, he is supposed to be on vacation, and under the circumstances will not begin his interviews with Coast manufacturers until next month.

Mr. Bleakney told the bureau that British Columbia newsprint and lead were being sold in Brazil. Special attention should be given to regulations, customs, invoice methods and credits, in building up trade with Brazil, he said. With branches of Canadian banks established in that country, credits could be facilitated.

TRUTH'S INCLINATION

LONDON, Jan. 11.—Returning to its discussion of the Canadian Government's proposal to replace its two present destroyers, the Patriot and Patrician, with new ships, the weekly, Truth, today reprints a statement which it described as "officially inspired from Ottawa." The statement says that the first of the new ships will be ordered immediately if the Canadian Parliament approves the necessary estimates. It adds that the Patrician is still serviceable, so that the second new destroyer will be ordered for later delivery, thus spreading the total outlay over two years. Truth says: "A point to which the message makes no reference is that the Canadian Department of Defence has asked the British Government to loan two destroyers to replace the old ones, while the proposed vessels are under construction. I confess that if I were a Canadian I should ask why build warships at all as long as they can borrow them."

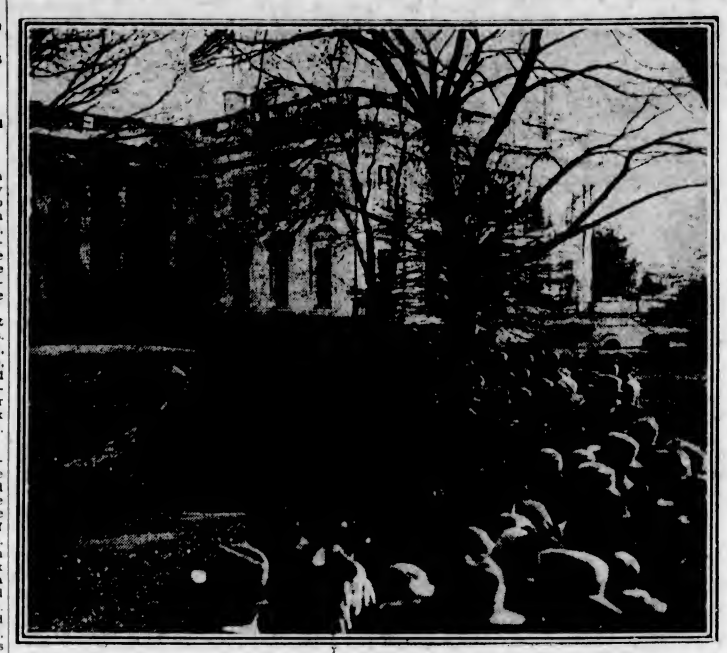
"I suppose there are many problems which Polar explorers seek to solve?" said the unscientific man.

"Yes," replied the intrepid traveler; "a great many."

"What is the most important one?"

"Getting back."

New Year's Day at the White House



The President and Mrs. Coolidge received hundreds of service officers, diplomatic corps members and civilians at the annual White House New Year's reception. This view shows a part of the large crowd which gathered at the White House to wait in the bitter cold for the doors to be opened.

MILLING COMPANY OFFICIAL VISITS

Believes Large Quantity of Albertan Wheat Will Be Saved, if It Is Threshed Shortly

While it is estimated that there are some 40,000,000 bushels of wheat in Southern Alberta yet to be threshed, Mr. J. J. Page, general manager of the Western Canada Milling Company, says that the opinion of the best informed wheat men is that if this is taken care of before the period of too great change in temperature takes place, that there will be a good merchantable grade of flour produced from it. It will not be the highest grade, of course, but it will be a class of flour that will find a place in the markets.

Mr. Page was in the city yesterday in the course of a trip covering the whole of the interests with which his company is concerned. He left last night, after conferring with Mr. F. B. Gibbs here, for the Mainland, where he and Mr. Gibbs will make an inspection of the various Brackman-Ker interests on the Coast. The local plant was inspected yesterday.

GENERALLY SATISFACTORY

On the prairies generally Mr. Page says he found things in a satisfactory condition. This will apply to the whole of Canada, and he places the situation as one not of a spasmodic character, but he says it appears to him that Canada is in a normal condition of prosperity.

Interested as he is in the wheat crop, the visitor says that the condition of affairs on the prairies reflects creditably as compared with the rest of Canada. This is due to the fact that the grain production has now reached such a stage on the prairies that in spite of the fact that there may be some parts that meet with losses, the general production is yearly very large. This applies to the past year, Mr. Page points out, where abnormal conditions in the Spring made practically three seedings. One was at the usual time, about the first of May. Weather conditions interfered with things and another seeding followed some weeks later, with still a third seeding in June.

In spite of the drawbacks in the seeding and the fact that some sections of the country were caught in harvest time, as is exemplified in there being twenty per cent. according to estimate, of the Southern Alberta wheat still unthreshed, the yield over the whole territory was a very heavy one, with the result that an immense amount of money was introduced into the country.

SEASONAL LOSSES

This condition more or less prevails yearly now. There are certain parts of the country that are caught each year, and reports as to the losses prompts the opinion at times that there will be a bad year in the wheat growing areas. It will be found, said Mr. Page, that while sections are hit by bad conditions, that there is a shifting of these locations, and that two years out of three the main part of the wheat-producing areas have good yields. This means that each year the country has a tremendous amount of wheat to go on the market.

Mr. Page, who makes his home in Toronto, where the headquarters of the company is situated, says of the Western Canada Milling Company, that in its four flour mills at Winnipeg, Goderich, Calgary and Brandon there is a production of 10,000 barrels of flour a day.

PUBLIC OPINION FAVORS "HUSKY"



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NELSON HANGS NEXT FRIDAY

Dominion Government Decides Not to Intervene—Hangman Arrives In Winnipeg

OTTAWA, Jan. 11.—Earle Nelson, internationally known as the "Dark Strangler," will pay the death penalty at Winnipeg on Friday morning next for the murder of Mrs. Emily Patterson. The Cabinet having reviewed his case, has decided that there will be no interference, it was announced early this evening.

WINNIPEG, Jan. 11.—William McConnell, of Philadelphia, arrived in Winnipeg today in an attempt to identify Earle Nelson, sentenced to hang next Friday, as the man who strangled his wife to death in Philadelphia, April 27, of last year.

He spent two hours in the death cell with Nelson today, but Mr. McConnell is under strict undertaking to keep the result a secret.

Arthur Ellis, the hangman, arrived from Vancouver tonight.

MRS. BARKLEY'S MEMOIRS ARE TO BE SUBJECT

The British Columbia Historical Association and the local branch of the Canadian Authors' Association will hold a joint meeting in the archives, Parliament Buildings, on the evening of Friday, January 13. The first subject dealt with will be the source from which Captain Walbran in "B.C. Place Names," obtained his statements as to Mrs. Barkley's account of the discovery of the Strait of Juan de Fuca, in 1787. Most interesting extracts from Mrs. Barkley's original journal relative to her visit to this coast in 1791-1792 will, with the permission of Captain R. E. Barkley, her great-great-grandson, be given. An effort will be made to illustrate the readings with slides, maps and so forth.

Lady (at theatre, to man in seat behind)—"I hope my hat is not worrying you."

The Man—"It is worrying me a lot—my wife wants one like it."

ESQUIMALT TO VOTE SATURDAY

Three Councillors and Three School Trustees to Be Chosen Electorate

In the municipality of Esquimalt three councillors and three school trustees are to be elected by public vote on Saturday. Reeve James Elrick and Police Commissioner Sidney R. Bowden were returned to power unopposed.

Following is the list of candidates for the council, three to be elected:

Comerford, Elizabeth, 1621 Quadra Street, housewife. Proposed, Alminetter Guest; seconded, Mrs. Margaret Nichol.

Dent, Robert Whittam, 1423 Craddock Street, machinist. Proposed, Andrew W. Stewart; seconded, William Green.

*Heald, Albert, 1307 Lyall Street, merchant. Proposed, W. A. Slow; seconded, W. Saunders.

Hadfield Thomas, 526 Joffre Street, engineer. Proposed, W. T. Jenkins; seconded, H. A. Walton.

Hodgson, George Edmund, 819 Esquimalt Road, real estate. Proposed, H. F. Bishop; seconded, W. J. Cave.

Neild, Henry Halewood, 466 Fraser Street, horticulturist. Proposed, Arthur George Young; seconded, William Dawson.

Saddler, Alfred William, 426 Grafton Street, painter. Proposed, R. A. Anderson; seconded, P. R. Brown.

*Smith, Charles Hampton, 531 Joffre Street, operator. Proposed, Robert P. Matheson; seconded, Frederick J. Neel.

FOR SCHOOL BOARD

Cooke, Frank, 1144 Esquimalt Road, merchant. Proposed, Charles H. Smith; seconded, Harry H. Neild.

Crompton, John Arthur, 446 Constance Avenue, retired. Proposed, Albert Heald; seconded, Sidney R. Bowden.

Fea, James Lawrence, 842 Wollaston Street; chauffeur. Proposed, W. J. Saunders; seconded, Benjamin Jacklin.

Fraser, Neil, 533 Comerford Street, Shipwright. Proposed, Charles R. Griffin; seconded, Charles Freland.

*Isbister, Elizabeth, 625 Canteen Road, housewife. Proposed, A. A. Bullen; seconded, E. Harcourt.

Lockley, Alexander, 1388 Esquimalt Road, contractor. Proposed, Ralph D. Stephens; seconded, W. Brown.

* Signifies retiring member.

INVENTION IS BOON TO COOKERY

Local Inventor Perfects Extractor for Use in Preparing Poultry for Table

A local inventor has perfected an extractor to remove the sinews from turkeys and other poultry which should prove a boon to poulterers, restauranteurs, and those who take a pride in the placing of poultry before the public in prime condition. This inventor is Mr. A. E. Johnson, who is in charge of the meat department of the Hudson's Bay Company, and who has had a long experience in the business.

The patent rights for Canada have been taken out by him, and he has also applied for the same rights in the United States. He has had manufactured for him several of the devices, and these are being used by some of the most important dealers not only in Victoria but in Vancouver, Calgary and Edmonton.

All users are most congratulatory in their references to the invention, which works on the principle of the lever, and is capable of being worked at a rate that will allow the extraction of the sinews from a turkey in twenty-six seconds. The great advantage that is derived from this invention is that there is no tearing of the flesh of the bird in the process, and the meat is made exempt from the troublesome task of removing the sinews after being cooked.

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POET AND NOVELIST

No man has left a more intellectual mark on the literature of the generation to which he belonged than Mr. Thomas Hardy, who has just died. He was one of those whose contemporaries recognized his worth, and as a seal to that recognition His Majesty bestowed on him the Order of Merit, which is held to be the proudest reward of intellectual achievement, conferring, as it does, more lasting honor than the Nobel Prize for Literature. Mr. Hardy, the novelist and the poet, is widely known by his works, but the man is largely unknown because he kept himself and his private affairs from the glare of publicity. In a little village he was born and in the countryside of England he elected to live most of his life. It was of the countryside, which he called Wessex, that he wrote those novels which have been read by millions, and he remained an active force in literature up to the time of his recent illness, and for a longer period retained the fire of his genius than perhaps any other writer of whom there is a record.

Mr. Thomas Hardy, originally destined for the career of ecclesiastical architect, early turned his attention to novel-writing, for two reasons—to earn a livelihood and through artistic impulsion. Between "Desperate Remedies" and "Jude the Oscure" a long list of works came from his pen, and finally he won that fame which he is likely to enjoy for many centuries because of his originality, sincerity and his daring devotion to truth. His mind, like his life, was lonely and independent. One commentator on his writings says that "he saw man rich in good will, in love, in the worth of what the New Testament calls charity, and yet unable to find not merely the satisfaction of his urgent desires, but the expression of his good will, because of what for the moment might be called the force of mere circumstances. . . . His novels went on showing the potential nobility of man persisting, as natural beauty persists, through incessant struggle against forces of which he had no knowledge and over which he had no control."

Great as Mr. Thomas Hardy was as a novelist, he was greater as a poet. It was after his work as a novelist was finished and fully recognized that he really entered the realm of poetry, though he had written much during the time when he was penning novels to meet the exigencies of his career. In 1898 he put out a volume of lyric poems at a moment when his critics were saying that his work was done, and five years later came the first part of that great work "The Dynasts," a colossal task, part epic, part drama, which was completed in 1908. In writing of it one reviewer said, "a political symbol of all the vast and passionate life of the human portion of the drama, with its splendor of courage and love, its fierce passions, its rough humor, its agonies of suffering, this imaginative creation is beyond question a work of genius." This masterpiece was completed when Mr. Hardy was 67 years of age. It stamped him at once as the poet who wrote great novels.

Mr. Hardy showed in his poetry, at a time when old usages and forms and principles of the art were in the melting pot, that he was able to refashion the old into the new. He gave a notable illustration of the well-known fact that a poet in all ages may say in his own way what he thinks and feels "in language that is musical and beautiful." There are those who claim that Mr. Thomas Hardy has done for the twentieth century what Wordsworth and Coleridge did for the nineteenth century poetry, and it is quite possible that posterity will set its hall-mark on this claim. What is certain is that he has left the stamp of genius on English literature, and that is a claim that can be made for but few, if any, other modern writer.

GOLF CLUB'S WATER RATES

The City Council should agree to review its attitude towards the application of the Gorge Vale Golf Club for a cheap water rate. The rate offered by the city, for water that will be used in such quantities as is necessary for the preservation of grass on the fairways of a golf course during the Summer months, is not a generous one. The city has millions of gallons of water running to waste daily. It should recognize a new golf course in which the citizens are the investors as an asset of very substantial importance in attracting visitors to Victoria. It has offered free water to industries which have never developed, whereas the Gorge Vale course is in process of construction. This golf club does not want free water. It is willing to pay a reasonable rate, but when water is used in bulk and for the purpose of adding to the attractiveness of some hundred odd acres of ground laid out at considerable expense for the purpose of recreation, the city should recognize the desirability of some special consideration. The city, in the interest of adding to the attractiveness of Victoria and vicinity, can well afford, where water is concerned, to co-operate with those citizens who are making their investment in a new golf club, the need of which is apparent because of the membership secured by the new venture.

NORTHAMPTON BY-ELECTION

The British Labor Party has won a seat from the Conservatives at the Northampton by-election held on Monday. The Labor candidate, Colonel L'E Malone polled 15,173 votes out of a total poll of 40,466 votes. The Conservative candidate, Captain F. G. Renton, had 14,616 votes, and another Conservative candidate, running as an Independent Conservative, polled 1,093 votes; while the Liberal, Mr. Cope Morgan, got 9,584. It is obvious that if the votes cast for the Independent Conservative had been transferred to the official Conservative candidate Captain Renton would have been elected. The Laborites did not increase their voting strength much since the last election, for at the time when Sir Arthur Holland was elected Miss M. G. Bondfield, representing Labor, polled 15,046 votes, while on Monday the Labor vote was 15,173 in a total poll but little less than that cast in the general election.

Northampton is essentially a radical stronghold, and when it was won at the last general election by the Conservatives it was captured by that party for the first time in the last thirty years. Northampton is the seat once represented by Mr. Bradlaugh and subsequently by Mr. Labouchere. It is noteworthy that in the last three elections the Liberal vote has declined from 19,974 to 9,584. Liberalism, in the latest by-election, has given no sign of recovering its strength. Mr. Baldwin's Government cannot be perturbed in any way by the latest by-election result. Because there was a split in the Conservative vote that result was anticipated. As a matter of fact, the Conservatives have done well to poll such a substantial vote in such a radical centre as Northampton, and in a by-election. Colonel Malone, the successful candidate, was formerly a member of Parliament for one of the London divisions.

THE NOBEL PRIZE

Award of the Nobel Prize for Literature to Signora Grazia Deledda raises an old problem. Do the judges arrive at their decision solely as literary critics, or are they influenced at all by the positions which the various candidates' countries occupy in the political arena? The prize went to India and to Ireland in years when those lands were attracting an uncommon share of public notice. This year it goes to Italy, and seems almost as much a tribute to Fascismo as to the winner herself. That Signora Deledda is a writer of great talent will not be denied, yet one would have scarcely picked her out as likely to gain an international crown. She is essentially a "regionalist," and in her novels has confined her attention to Sardinia. Her vision, of course, may be as wide as though she had taken the world for her parish, yet one remembers that the late Mr. Hardy's absorption with Dorset was always alleged as the reason for the Scandinavian jury's neglect of him. For the rest, Signora Deledda appears to be a vigorous patriot, and, outside Italy, might be thought a Jingo. Her saying that humanity is purified by wars might possibly have counted more against her with the Nobel judges had Italy and Sweden been nearer neighbors.

The London Saturday Review make allusion to the difference of procedure in the British House of Commons and in the House of Lords. In the former it says that when the cry comes "Make way for the Speaker," one can see "backs flattened to the wall, heads bowed and hats removed—even the hats of the policemen—while Mr. Speaker, preceded by the mace, solmenly marches by the longest possible route from his own room to the Chair of the House of Commons." On the other hand there is no such ceremony in the House of Lords. In that House, when the Lord Chancellor appears to take his seat on the Woolsack, their lordships neither stand up, nor even look up, and during debate clerks and messengers move freely about the floor of the House, a thing unheard of in the House of Commons. "And yet," says The Saturday Review, "the House of Lords, with its far greater freedom and its far smaller ceremony, remains incomparably the more dignified Chamber of the two, and probably the most dignified assemblage in the world."

The Weather

Meteorological Office, Victoria, B. C., at 8 p.m., January 11, 1928.

TEMPERATURES

	Rain	Min.	Max.
Victoria	1.18	45	49
Vancouver	.66	46	48
Kamloops	--	32	42
Barkerville	--	32	36
Estevan Point	1.70	44	48
Prince Rupert	.02	38	46
Dawson	--	6	12
Seattle	.20	48	50
Portland	--	40	58
San Francisco	--	44	54
Spokane	Trace	--	44
Penticton	--	32	41
Vernon	--	24	40
Grand Forks	--	28	38
Nelson	.12	34	39
Cranbrook	--	34	42
Calgary	--	30	50
Edmonton	--	22	42
Swift Current	--	28	42
Prince Albert	--	22	30
Qu'Appelle	--	22	38
Winnipeg	--	30	38

FORCASTS

Victoria and Vicinity—Strong winds or gales, mostly south and west; partly cloudy and mild with occasional rain.

Vancouver and Vicinity—Strong winds or gales on the Gulf; mostly cloudy and mild with occasional rain.

Nelson and Vicinity—Partly cloudy and not much change in temperature.

WEDNESDAY

Maximum	49
Minimum	45
Average	47
Minimum on the grass	43

Hours of bright sunshine, nil; rain, 1.61; general state of the weather, raining.

5 P.M. WEATHER REPORTS

Victoria—Barometer, 30.03; wind, S., 16 miles; cloudy.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.92; wind, S.E., 10 miles; raining.

Kamloops—Barometer, 20.82; wind, E., 4 miles; cloudy.

Barkerville—Barometer, 29.70; wind, S.W., 20 miles; cloudy.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.62; wind, S.E., 14 miles; cloudy.

Estevan Point — Barometer, 29.96; wind, calm; raining.

Tatoosh—Barometer, 30.00; wind, S.W., 30 miles; raining.

Portland—Barometer, 30.32; wind, S.W., 10 miles; cloudy.

Seattle—Barometer, 30.12; wind, S. 26 miles; raining.

San Francisco—Barometer, 30.32; wind, N., 4 miles; cloudy.

SONG OF THE SOLDIERS

What of the faith and fire within us
Men who march away
Ere the barn-cocks say
Night is growing grey,
To hazards whence no tears can win us;
What of the faith and fire within us
Men who march away?

Is it a purblind prank, O think you,
Friend with the musing eye
Who watch us stepping by,
Can much pondering so hoodwink you!
Is it a purblind prank, O think you,
Friend with the musing eye?

Nay, we see well what we are doing,
Though some may not see—
Dalliers as they be!—
England's need are we;
Nay, we see well what we are doing,
Though some may not see!

In our heart of hearts believing
Victory crowns the just,
And that braggarts must
Surely bite the dust,
March we to the field ungrieving,
In our heart of hearts believing
Victory crowns the just.

Hence the faith and fire within us
Men who march away
Ere the barn-cocks say
Night is growing grey,
To hazards whence no tears can win us;
Hence the faith and fire within us
Men who march away.

—Thomas Hardy.

The worst of being cool as a fish is that you never get great things done, you effect no improvements, you carry no reforms against the lethargy or selfishness of men and the tyranny of old custom.—Lord Morley.

Note and Comment

By R. B. D.

Every age and almost every country has had its heroes. If an age and a country had no heroes in fact, heroes of imagination were created for them. England had her Richard of the Lion Heart, Scotland had her Wallace, Ireland her Brian Boru, Switzerland her William Tell, the United States her George Washington, Prussia her Frederick the Great, France must either be content with a heroine (Joan of Arc) or accept d'Artagnan, all partly fictional heroes, if such an assertion may be ventured without giving offence to Mayor Thompson and others of his kind.

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Canada, although a young country from a historical standpoint, has produced so many heroes that it would be a delicate matter to say which is first in the hearts of his countrymen; but one thing it is safe to say, and it is that British Columbia has produced one of the most remarkable men of this or any other age. That man of course is Mr. Hammond of Ashcroft, the place where they produce (from irrigated ground) the finest potatoes in all the world (with the exception of a few produced annually in our own back yard on our Own Street). But the Ashcroft potatoes are produced on historic ground, and that makes all the difference between extraordinary and ordinary potatoes.

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The question naturally may be asked what Mr. Hammond of Ashcroft has done to warrant his being set upon a pedestal as one of the most remarkable men of this or any other age. The answer to that question is that Mr. Hammond in defence of the liberty of the individual as proclaimed by Magna Charta and confirmed by constitutional practice and precedent, has defied the Government of British Columbia, the Committee of Control, and all auxiliary bodies, and established his right to do what he pleases with his own potatoes grown upon his own irrigated land in the neighborhood of Ashcroft.

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The Committee of Control told Mr. Hammond that he must not ship his potatoes to market without its consent. One of the Members of the Government said that if Mr. Hammond shipped his potatoes in defiance of the orders of the Committee of Control he would be breaking the law providing for compulsory co-operation in marketing and that all the power of the Government would be applied in support of the orders of the Committee of Control. Mr. Hammond shipped his potatoes to Vancouver in defiance of the orders of the Committee of Control, and presumably is selling them there at a satisfactory profit. And he has invited the Committee of Control and the Government which said it would support it to prosecute him for his offence against the law. Neither the Committee nor the Government has taken action against the man who claims the right to dispose as he pleases of his own property. The Committee says Mr. Hammond has not broken the compulsory co-operative law, because he is selling his products directly to the consumers.

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But the Committee of Control says it has nothing to do with the prices at which products shall be sold. If it attempted to fix prices it would be confronted with Dominion laws in restraint of trade. Its business is to control and regulate the flow of products to market, to feed the consumer according to his needs and his capacity for consumption, and thus, presumably, to prevent fluctuations in prices. But it cannot do that effectively if the dam it has built at the fountain head to stem the waters of trade and release them as required should develop leaks or should be blown up by some insurgent like Hammond.

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That is what the man from Ashcroft has done, and the Committee of Control and the Government behind it says no law has been broken and there is no cause for such legal action as would determine the constitutionality or otherwise of the compulsory co-operative act. Obviously, if the law is to be effective, if it is a good law and should be enforced, some action must be taken to determine its constitutionality. It cannot be effective and beneficial to producers if individual producers refuse to recognize its provisions and sell their products independently.

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But the curious product of the so-called compulsory co-operative measure is not a remarkable man like Mr. Hammond, but the fact that a Government which professes to believe in free trade as a fundamental principle of business and in competition as the life of trade should accept responsibility for such an act. A more curious feature still is the fact that a measure which is frankly designed for the protection of internal trade may bring our local free trade Government into conflict with a free trade Government at Ottawa which will do nothing to protect internal trade from the ruinous competition (at certain season's of the year) of external trade.

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ABANDONED DOGS

Sir,—The shooting season is drawing to a close and again as in other years many so-called sportsmen and "others" are finding their dogs unsatisfactory or troublesome, and taking ready means to dispose of them by abandoning them in the country districts. As all know shooting dogs often turn out unsatisfactory; some get gun-shy and others, through one cause or other, do not suit, and then comes the necessity of disposing of them. I appeal to all owners of dogs to use their influence to stop this practice, as most serious losses are caused to the sheep industry, and not only losses but intense suffering to sheep and dogs.

In spite of all efforts made by the Legislature in passing laws, very serious losses still occur and thousands of dollars in compensation must be paid throughout the province in the municipal areas as well as unorganised territory. The police have been unusually vigilant this last year, but still the dogs seem to grow and increase faster than the sheep industry. Probably we have almost as many dogs now in the province as sheep, and may I point out that sheep is man's most valuable animal, as some say the dog is man's most faithful friend.

It is difficult to understand how highly civilized and Christianized people can so thoughtlessly behave, not only towards their pets but in causing such cruel suffering to sheep. The lambing season is just started and with it seems to automatically start dog-worrying. Now, you dog owners who will not control your animals will shortly see, or the farmers will, partly disemboweled and horribly lacerated sheep, usually still living when found. Recently (within the last few days) a number of dogs of the well known shooting breeds have been destroyed, having been found wandering without collars on around farms close to Victoria and no one seems to miss them, or you seldom hear any complaints of missing dogs. Just let news leak out that sheep have been destroyed and no one has lost a dog; oh, dear, me, no!

In the name of humanity and for common decency's sake, won't the owners or harborers of dogs wake up to the seriousness of this matter.

We, in Metchosin, and others in the province, have imported valuable purebred sheep, a number costing over a hundred dollars a head, and we ask the proper co-operation of the municipalities particularly to get all dogs licensed this year and strictly enforce the law, for the sheep can be made British Columbia's most valuable asset. Sheep and prosperity go hand in hand. The noxious weed problem can be much helped with the proper use of sheep and this in itself is worth while thinking of as most people know.

C. E. WHITNEY-GRIFFITHS.

R.R. No. 1., Victoria, B.C., January 10, 1928.

MODERN HUMOR

Sir,—As one deeply interested in the preservation of the beauty and vigor of our English language, may I venture to deplore a certain type of humor of the day. The humor to which I refer, appears to depend for its appeal entirely on hideous caricatures of the human countenance, or equally hideous travesties of the English language.

I trust the day of such humor will be a short one, as I fear its influence cannot be good, either upon impressionable minds or upon general speech.

MARION ORD.

Principal of Victoria School of Expression, Suite 412, 715 Fort Street, Victoria, B.C., January 11, 1928.

TAXATION IN SAANICH

Sir,—I also think Mr. Tanner has made a mistake when he says lots with $5,000 houses on are only taxed $9 to $10 a year. I own a small house and two lots, and my taxes were raised from $19 to $32 a year, with no sidewalks; only mud to walk in; no street lights, nor anything else, and I am like the rest of Saanich residents. We have to work hard for what we own—darned hard at that.

STAN WESTERN.

Gorge View Drive, Saanich, B.C., January 11, 1928.

BEAUTIFUL VICTORIA

Sir,—The City Council annually votes a large sum of money for the purpose of making known to the world at large the advantages of Victoria as a tourist resort. The idea is that this money finds its way back into the pockets of the ratepayers from the dollars spent in the town by visitors.

It is a principle of advertising that the goods advertised should be available and of the quality set forth.

It is therefore pertinent to inquire what the City Council does to preserve those goods which the city possesses or to improve them?

It is announced that a concession is now being sought to manufacture fish manure, amongst other things, in the neighborhood of the entrance to the harbor.

It is hoped that the aldermen will satisfy themselves that no offensive odor will arise from this process. It is only a few years ago that Victorians congratulated themselves on the removal of chemical works from the same locality. Will the new works be any less offensive?

There are probably many people in Victoria who may remember the approach to Melbourne, Australia, up the Yarra River. The banks of that stream were lined with a succession of chemical works, dye works, tanneries, soap works and other abominations that caused the name of Melbourne, most literally, to stink all over the Southern Pacific. All these works have now been abolished at a vast expense, and it would hardly seem to be in accordance with common sense to run the risk of making Victoria subject to a similar nuisance.

Possibly, however, the aldermanic Moses are impervious because there has existed a particularly bad odor for many years at the northern end of the Causeway. It is, apparently, caused by the outflow of a drain at that point. Although all our visitors arriving by water have to pass through it, to say nothing of the hundreds of our own people who inhabit the district south of James Bay, or who have to visit it, nothing appears to have been done to abate the nuisance. It ought to be well within the powers of an engineer to devise some way of freeing that much-frequented road from its pollution.

CHARLES ST. BARBE.

407 Belleville Street, Victoria, B.C., January 9, 1928.

SAANICH ELECTION

Sir,—That Reeve Crouch, in spite of his bombastic blowing of his own trumpet, has not made a success of the past year, can be seen in the fact that neither the rural nor the urban wards are satisfied. The rural wards are agitating for secession, and the insulting remarks of the Reeve on the farmers are not calculated to heal the sore. Speaking as an urban taxpayer of the Dean Heights section of Ward One, our taxes increased by over 200 per cent in 1927, and this for no service rendered. One does not object to pay taxes, but one expects some return for the money paid. The only road usable is owned, maintained, and built by Oak Bay. The lighting was paid for by Oak Bay taxpayers, there is no sewer, and the roads shown on the maps are in their original subdivision state. One would like to ask—why, then, are our taxes increased 200 per cent?

The fact that neither the rural nor the urban sections are satisfied only shows that in the desire to make a good showing, taxes have been levied in a slipshod manner, probably left to one man, without any guiding rule, principle or method, and the man with a pull, or who has a friend in high places, would get let off with a light tax, while others are soaked to make up for the deficit.

The time has come to make a change from slipshod methods of taxation to a fair and equitable system, guided by certain principles, and this requires a calm and methodical man, not a bombastic one.

Reeve Crouch has claimed a surplus in sinking fund of $29,000, and a balance in current account of $22,000. Will he state the position of the sinking fund when he assumed office? and explain how the balance of $22,000 was obtained? Was the $5,000 obtained from Victoria for water allowance included in this $22,000, and was there a condition attached to the grant of this $5,000? Was the condition, if any, complied with? He is reported as saying that the assessments on land have been reduced by $2,000,000, and the taxes collected were only $7,000 more than last year. In that case he must have got them all out of a few people, and this accounts for the increase of over 200 per cent in the taxation of this district.

From the fact that his attitude to the farmers is anything but calculated to make for peace, and the very heavy increase in the taxation of the urban districts, particularly those adjoining Victoria, which has been looking out hungrily to absorb them, one might almost come to the conclusion that there is work going on for the break-up of the Municipality of Saanich in the interests of Victoria. Saanich ratepayers should carefully look into this matter, and vote for a man who will work for the unity of Saanich, in the interests of Saanich ratepayers.

Incidentally your editorial of this morning seems to suggest something in that direction.

I can see no reason for the break-up of the Municipality of Saanich if proper methods are employed in taxation, and I shall certainly vote for Mr. Milne and give him a chance to see what he can do to straighten things out and get some method into the handling of the affairs of the municipality.

H. HASTINGS.

2806 Foul Bay Road, Victoria, B.C., January 11, 1928.

The Rhyming Optimist

By Alias Michaelis

HE WHO WOULD CONQUER

This is the wisdom the sages knew,
Wise men have taught it the long years through;
Not of one country and not of one creed,
Yet they are kindred in thought and in deed.
This is the message that stands revealed:
"He who would conquer needs first to yield.
Yield, as the swimmer who floats at rest,
Borne by boundless force on the ocean's crest
Who would be strong for life's joys, life's fear
Must be lost in the Strength that has shaped the spheres."

A voluble woman who was seated in a railway carriage spoke French so fluently that another woman ventured to congratulate her. "It is a fact," said the former, "that we English people, as a rule, speak no French at all or else we speak it very badly."

"Where did you learn French?" asked a Parisian lady who was sitting close by.

"From a native," was the proud answer.

"Ah!" said the Frenchwoman. "A native of what country?"

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist of January 12, 1878)

Municipal Elections—Everybody, we presume, is aware that the nominations for mayor and councillors for the ensuing year takes place tomorrow at the Police Barracks. Polling, if any, will commence at 10 a.m. on the following day. The following are the present candidates for civic honors: For mayor, R. Finlayson. For councillors, James Bay Ward, C. E. Redfern, Thomas Allsop, M. Shakespeare, Thomas Mitchell. Yates Street Ward, J. H. Turner, J. H. Todd, William McNiff, Johnson Street Ward, J. W. Williams, W. Dalbey.

From Nanaimo—The steamer Maude arrived at 3 p.m. yesterday from Nanaimo with the following passengers: Rev. Mr. and Mrs. Mason, Mr. and Mrs. McDonald, Mrs. Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. F. Guastletti, Miss Stirton, Miss M. Alexander, Miss L. Alexander, Messrs. J. Hunter, R. McKenzie, J. H. Todd, L. Whitworth, R. McLaughton, and several others.

From New Westminster—The steamer Otter arrived at 3 o'clock p.m. yesterday from New Westminster with two head of cattle for Goodacre & Dooley, six bales of hay from Ladner's, and the following passengers: Mr. and Mrs. Sweet, Miss Brasim, Capt. Roberts, J. H. Goodhue, E. Wadham, W. Ladner, McKay, Fox, Maloney, W. Wilson and Dean.



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CANDIDATE FOR REEVE GIVEN ROUSING RECEPTION AT WARD FIVE MEETING

Trustee F. V. Hobbs Also Endorsed—Zoning System of Taxation Advocated for Municipality

Councillor David Milne, candidate for reeve, and Trustee F. V. Hobbs, seeking re-election to the School Board, were unanimously endorsed at the Saanich Ward Five meeting last night. Reeve William Crouch, seeking re-election, was the first to speak. Trustee Jean Beckett spoke on behalf of Trustee Hobbs, who is confined to his home sick. Councillor Clarence Oldfield, who has been elected by acclamation, gave a report of his work during the past year.

Reeve Crouch, in dealing with his administration during the past year, pointed out the remarkable increase in the tax collections, which reached 90 per cent, as compared with 88.9 per cent in 1926; that a large number of arrears in taxes had been paid up; that there was a surplus of $29,958 in the sinking fund; that there was a cash surplus in the waterworks department of $16,606; that lower water rates had been inaugurated; that the Health Centre and service had been reorganized to bring about considerable improvement; that the municipal bus service had earned $3,000 during the past year and that there was a surplus of $400 at the end of the year; that the police force expenditures for the year were the lowest they had ever been; that reorganization of the municipal staff had saved $3,000 during the past six months and that, most encouraging of all, the municipality had ended with a cash surplus of $22,500.

Reeve Crouch pointed out that the only department that had shown an increase in expenditures over estimates was the health department and he was sorry to say that Councillor Milne was chairman of that committee.

He went on to speak of the reception given him at the Marigold meeting, and said that he was confident he would be elected.

COUNCILLOR OLDFIELD

Councillor Clarence Oldfield, in opening his remarks, thanked the ratepayers of Ward Five for doing him the honor of returning him to office after he had served seven years as school trustee and councillor.

There was no doubt, he said, that the farmers of Saanich had made up their minds to achieve the results they wanted in regard to disincorporation. The manner in which the municipality was assessed had caused all the friction on the council and this friction was holding up all progress.

Criticism was launched against the council in connection with its road work policy. Councillor Oldfield said that main trunk roads which had been built at considerable cost were being allowed to go to pieces because of the lack of maintenance.

Reeve Crouch's attitude on assessment and taxation as far as the rural ward were concerned was intolerant and hostile. Councillor Oldfield declared. He had nothing to criticize apart from this.

Councillor Oldfield, in reporting what had been done by the transportation committee, of which he was chairman, during the year, said that practically all bus routes had been allocated to one operator. This had obviated pirating of the roules, breaking of schedules, and had improved the equipment and service.

MRS. JEAN BECKETT

Mrs. Jean Beckett, school trustee, in speaking for Trustee Hobbs, defended the board's action in transference of teachers from inner ward schools to rural districts. This had been done to improve the class work and had worked out satisfactorily. She also defended the board's action in connection with the appointment of janitors to certain schools, the board having been criticized for the manner in which the appointments had been made.

Councillor David Milne, candidate for reeve, dealt with the split in the municipality. He was running for election on a policy that he felt would bring about harmony between the urban and rural wards. He contended that the zoning system of taxation would solve the problem of taxation in Saanich and put assessment on a satisfactory basis.

If elected he would recommend that a committee of three be appointed to go into assessment work with the assessor and direct a policy that would bring about equality in assessments. The same policy would also be adopted with public works. No work of importance would be carried out before a committee with the engineer had investigated the work proposed to be done. He would endeavor to the best of his ability to eliminate ward favoritism in regard to road work.

TAX NECESSARY

Members of the council, including himself, had voted for an improvement tax, not because they had wanted to, but because it had to be done to make the assessment roll legal. The rural wards had been taxed on $2,000,000 improvements, because improvements on land had been included in the land assessment. The farmers had paid the taxes on this amount, while the urban wards had paid only on land. This difficulty had to be straightened out and there was only one course to take.

If elected he would recommend that there be an independent assessor, so that the work could be done properly. Mr. Sewell, municipal clerk, already had too many responsibilities thrust upon his shoulders. Councillor Milne concluded his address by telling the audience that he was confident he would be elected. It was following his address that the meeting voted unanimously in favor of endorsing Councillor Milne for reeve.

Obituary

CARMICHAEL—Mr. Carmichael, Hornby Island, who underwent a serious operation in the Cumberland General Hospital on Sunday last, died Monday at 3:15 p.m. Deceased was very well and favorably known on Hornby Island, where he had lived for a number of years. He was in his fifty-third year. The remains are resting at the Thomson Funeral Home, 1625 Quadra Street, from where the funeral will take place on Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Interment will be made in the Royal Oak Burial Park. The late Mr. Carmichael was a member of Cumberland Lodge, No. 26, A. F. and A. M. The funeral will be under the auspices of Camosun Lodge, No. 60, A. F. and A. M.

MORRIS—The funeral of the late John Morris, who passed away at his residence, 3860 Savannah Avenue, Saanich, Sunday evening, will take place this afternoon. Funeral service will be held at the Thomson Funeral Home, 1625 Quadra Street, at 2 o'clock, and the remains will be laid to rest in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

BROWN—The remains of Peter Brown were laid to rest yesterday afternoon in the Royal Oak Burial Park, the funeral taking place from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, Rev. F. H. Fatt officiating. A large number of friends were present and the casket and hearse were covered with beautiful floral designs. The following acted as pallbearers: Messrs. V. Paul, C. Passas, N. Lerick, C. Nicholas, A. Alexander and P. Cook.

ROSINA—The funeral of Sister Mary Rosina took place yesterday at 8 a.m. from the Chapel of St. Ann's Academy, where Rev. Father Leterne celebrated mass. The pallbearers were as follows: Messrs. P. L. O'Connell, F. Sere, E. J. Brady and J. Cox. Interment was made in Ross Bay Cemetery.

GLOVER—The funeral services for Mr. George Glover, who died last Saturday, took place yesterday afternoon from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Relatives and many friends were present and more than forty brother members of the Masonic craft turned out in a body to show their last respect. Many beautiful flowers testified to the high esteem in which Mr. Glover was held. Rev. P. W. Lee officiated. The service at the graveside was conducted by the worshipful master, G. Sydney Carr. The hymns sung were "Abide With Me," and "Peace, Perfect Peace." M.W. Bro. W. S. Terry, M. W. Bro. Stephen Jones, R.W. Bro. W. P. Marchant, W. Bro. Capt. C. I. Harris, W. Bro. W. J. Gower and Bro. Robert Dinsdale acted as pallbearers, and the remains were laid to rest in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery.

POIRIER—The funeral of Earle Wesley Poirier, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Poirier, will be held from the Sands Funeral Chapel this afternoon at 12:15, proceeding to Knox Church, Sooke, where services will be held at 2 o'clock. Interment will be made in the church cemetery.

HEMING—The funeral of the late Albert Heming, who died in this city on Tuesday, will take place from McCall Bros.' Funeral Home on Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Interment will be made in Royal Oak Burial Park.

GAIGER—Military honors, with the Sixteenth Canadian Scottish band in attendance, will be accorded the remains of George P. Gaiger, who passed away at 726 Discovery Street, Tuesday. The funeral will take place from the Sands Funeral Chapel on Saturday at 3:30 p.m.

WICKENS—There passed away yesterday morning, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Frank Wickens, aged fifty-two years. Mr. Wickens was born in Kent, England, and came to this city seventeen years ago. For many years he had been connected with the Naval Stores at Esquimalt. He leaves to mourn his loss, at the family residence, 6 Beatty Street, his widow, and three children, Mary, Percival Francis and David Wickens. Funeral service will be held Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the S. J. Curry & Son Funeral Home, Quadra and Broughton Streets. Interment will be made in the Royal Oak Burial Park.

THOMPSON—There passed away on Wednesday morning at the family residence, Muriel Hayman (Mickey) Thompson, aged seven years and eleven months, beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Thompson, of 1149 Grant Street. She is mourned by her father and mother, four sisters and a brother, also an uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Knight, of this city. The remains are resting at McCall Bros.' Funeral Home. Announcement of the funeral will be made later.

BILLSBOROUGH—The funeral of Charles Edward Billsborough, a veteran of the Great War, will take place with full military honors on Friday at 3 o'clock from the Sands Funeral Chapel. Rev. J. H. Leighton will officiate and interment will be made in Royal Oak Burial Park.

WHITE—Robert M. White, who came to Victoria from Penzance, Saskatchewan, three months ago, died yesterday morning at the Jubilee Hospital, aged fifty-eight years. He is survived by his widow here, one son and three daughters, Allister A. White, of Liberty, Sask.; Mrs. J. D. Steel, Moose Jaw; Mrs. R. Olson, Holdfort, Sask., and Mrs. Donald Kells, of Crastmynd, Sask. The remains will be forwarded to Penzance for burial.

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Letters to the Editor

No letter to the Editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exceptions.

SAANICH POLITICS

Sir,—In replying to Mr. Tanner in Sunday morning's Colonist, I again say the tax on improvements has not benefited the small farmer, but Mr. Tanner says I am wrong because the farmers by their legal efforts smashed the Greenwood assessment and thus saved thousands of dollars, which, by the way, only increased land assessment values in Ward Six.

It should be remembered that the new assessment was passed by my predecessor in office at the insistent demand of ratepayers in the rural wards, and was made before I was Reeve.

Speaking in Keating Hall in January, 1926, Mr. Tanner will remember that I said I was not satisfied with the Greenwood assessment, and thought it might be wise to go back to the old assessment on land and check over on improvements from the Greenwood one which was more up to date.

When I was elected Reeve, I saw and told the councillor of rural Ward Three (and he will bear me out in this) and offered to go back to the old assessment and lower the assessment on land values, so if this was all you spent the farmers' some $1,500 in lawyers' fees for, it certainly was not necessary as far as I was concerned.

He says the farmers had been illegally taxed for years in the inclusion of farm improvements in the value of lands. They were taxed exactly the same way as in most parts of British Columbia, and still are, where there was, and still is, no improvement tax, and nobody has fomented or stirred up trouble for these other municipalities, yet the urban owner of lots also says he has been illegally taxed for years, in so much that his lots have been and are still assessed at double their market value, while the farm lands have been and still are assessed at half what they can be bought for.

I have on repeated occasions read out to them in Wards Two and Seven the deficit there is supposed to be in their wards, and have also read from the same report the deficit there is in Ward Six. Wards Two and Seven are reducing their deficit, but Ward Six is increasing, and I do not see how it can be helped with over 11,000 acres in Ward Six and less than 2,000 in Wards Two and Seven combined. The upkeep to roads in Ward Six is enormous, yet with all this large area they pay no more in taxes than Ward Seven, with little over 1,000 acres.

Mr. Tanner wants to know if the urban wards have a deficit, who pays? The farmer, he says. The Reeve would like to know if Ward Six has a deficit, who pays?

The Saanich farmer with a 100-acre farm with a valuation of $21,000 would be compelled by Reeve Crouch to pay $475. Now, Mr. Tanner, I thought better of you than this. A man of your intelligence and ability knows that Reeve Crouch cannot compel anything of the kind, that he has seven other members on the council, and his vote only counts the same as theirs.

In conclusion, I may have made mistakes (so has Mr. Tanner), but I have always tried to be fair and just to Ward Six the same as any other ward, and it is a pleasure for me to know that their own ward councillor told me some ten days ago, that he intends when making his report before the ratepayers in Ward Six to testify to the good work, the time and energy that I have given to Ward Six affairs. I trust he will not forget his promise.

WILLIAM CROUCH.

Royal Oak, B.C., January 9, 1928.

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$1.00-$1.50 Ladies' Rubbers Special 49c
Ladies' and Misses' Slicker Coats, all colors. Values to $8.50 ..... $2.98
$5.00 and $7.00 Ladies' Fine Wool Sweaters, $1.98
50c Turkish Towels now 39c
$7.00 and $8.00 Ladies' High-Class Oxfords and Slippers $2.49
$1.00 Boys' Rubbers 59c
$2.50 Heavy Wool Work Shirts $1.25
75c and $1.00 Ties for 39c
$15.00 Raincoats, now at $5.95
50c Ties for 12c
$2.00 Slicker Coats 98c
$1.50 Ladies' Corsets for 29c
$2.00 and $3.00 English Broadcloth Shirts, $1.49
$2.00 Men's Pants now 98c
$25.00 and $30.00 English Gabardine Raincoats now selling at $12.95
Lot of Overcoats, regular $15.00, now selling at $3.95
$35.00 and $40.00 Overcoats $14.95
$3.95 Heavy Bedford Cord Breeches $2.45
$2.50 Coveralls, all brands $2.25
$5.00 and $6.00 Men's Fine Pants now $2.98
$1.50 Monkey Wrenches 79c
$1.50 and $2.00 Saws 89c
$1.50 Tea Kettles 69c
75c and $1.00 Brooms 29c
50c Dolls now 14c
$3.00 Dolls 98c
Toys, values to $1.00, now 19c
$2.50 Coverall Suits (small sizes) $1.49
$10.00 Ladies' and Misses' Coats $2.98
$1.00 and $1.25 Ladies' House Dresses, Special at 69c
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Men's Boots, sold to $7.00, now $1.98
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ORIENTAL GETS TERM IN JAIL

Chinaman Sentenced in Provincial Court to Six Months and Fined $200 on Opium Charge

Lum, a Chinaman, was sentenced by Magistrate George Jay in the provincial police court here yesterday to serve six months at Oakalla prison and fined the sum of $200 and $5 costs, or a further term of two months in jail in default of payment of the fine and costs.

Lum, who was arraigned in the provincial court on Tuesday on a charge of being unlawfully in possession of opium, yesterday pleaded guilty through counsel, Mr. William C. Moresby, to the charge.

The accused was arrested at premises which he occupied at Sidney by Corporals Cameron, and Black, of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, and the British Columbia Police.

Corporal Cameron told the magistrate that the accused was found at his premises at Sidney, where there were two jars containing small quantities of opium, and an apparatus for the smoking of the drug.

Mr. Moresby, defence counsel, urged the court to impose the minimum sentence upon the accused, Lum.

Miss Miller to Be Hindu's Third Wife

LONDON, Jan. 11.—A Bombay dispatch to The Daily Express today said that the United States Consul there has given up all hope of preventing the marriage of Miss Nancy Ann Miller, of Seattle, Wash., to the former Maharajah of Indore. Strong opposition to the marriage has been expressed by the court, ministers, and a large part of the population in Indore.

The former maharajah already has two wives. Arrangements already are being made at Indore for the marriage according to Hindu customs.

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REV. R. W. LEE IS RE-ELECTED

Royal Society of St. George Has Active Year's Record —Plans for Future Expansion

LIFE MEMBERSHIP FOR EX-SECRETARY

The functions of the Royal Society of St. George as educational and devotional, as well as social, were stressed at the annual meeting of the Victoria Branch.

Officers elected were: Patron, The Lieutenant-Governor of B.C.; honorary presidents, Dean Quainton, Hon. E. D. Barrow; president, Rev. R. W. Lee; first vice-president, Alderman John Harvey; second vice-president, C. P. Laycock; third vice-president, Mr. Harry Langley; treasurer, H. F. Bishop; honorary secretary, A. E. G. Cornwell; assistant secretary, W. O. Cockette; marshal, J. Howard Chapman; standard bearer, J. E. Jowitt; honorary solicitor, Charles Keen; chaplain, Canon J Hinchliffe; publicity manager, Harry Langley.

Those elected to the board of management were: W. J. Keen, Douglas Fletcher, Alfred Hallam, Robert Endean, Sam Clarke and Mrs Bertha Parsons; Mrs. L. Lovatt and Miss Ruth Hayman as representing the Ladies' Auxiliary on the board.

It was with much regret that the resignation of Mr. Harry Langley, as honorary secretary of the society, was received after five years of service, and it was moved that honorary life membership be given to both Mr. and Mrs. Langley as a token of esteem and recognition of faithful services rendered to the society.

COMMENT AND REPORTS

The president said it was his hope that a forward and aggressive policy would be adopted, and that the society would launch out into a broad and active campaign for the securing of new members; to make the aims and objects of the organization better understood and appreciated.

Mr. A. E. G. Cornwell reported for the nominating committee.

The secretary's report, presented by Mr. Langley, reviewed the progress of the past year. Allusion was made to the reorganization of the Ladies' Auxiliary. Of 275 members, only sixty-six are in good standing, having paid their dues. A forward policy was suggested by Mr Langley, in pursuance of the aims and objects of the society. Distribution of literature and an illustrated lecture on St. George were suggested.

OTHER MATTERS

The treasurer, Mr. H. F. Bishop, presented the financial statement, which showed that the society had practically consumed its entire funds in carrying on its work. This was the eighth report he had presented as treasurer.

The honorary president, Dean C. S. Qualinton, congratulated the society on its good showing, as evinced from the reports of the secretary and treasurer, and said he was sure that a successful year could be looked forward to, having regard to the strong board which had been elected to office.

Miss Ruth Hayman, secretary of the Ladies' Auxiliary, presented the report of the Auxiliary, which showed that this body had been active during the year in visiting the sick, distributing flowers, and caring for those in need. Mrs. L. Lovatt in supplementing the report, invited all ladies in the society to attach themselves to the auxiliary.

It was announced that an old-fashioned concert and dance would be held at the home of Mrs. G. H. Moody, on Thursday of this week, and also that a New Year's dance and social would be given next Tuesday, in the Conservative Club Rooms, at 8 p.m.

Suspended Sentence

Gladys Rampling, charged with making a false declaration when registering the birth of a child, changed her plea in the city police court from one of not guilty to that of guilty, and was released by Magistrate George Jay on suspended sentence. City Prosecutor Claude L. Harrison recited the circumstances of the case to the court.

Candidate for Saanich School Board



MR. FRANK VICTOR HOBBS
Who is seeking re-election to the School Board but has been unable to appear in the election campaign on account of sickness.

City & District

To Be Sworn In—The new Oak Bay Municipal Council will be sworn in at the County Court, at 10 o'clock this morning, before Judge Lampman.

Saanich Meetings—Election meetings will be held this evening in Ward One, at Lake Hill Community Hall, and in Ward Six at Temperance Hall, Keating.

Many Visitors—During 1927, 16,753 persons called at the Publicity Bureau for information, according to the annual report released yesterday. Telephone calls received numbered 4,777.

New Councillor—Mr. Hew Paterson will sit on the Oak Bay Council for a one-year term, occupying the seat vacated by Councillor E. C. Hayward, elected Reeve by acclamation. No other candidates were nominated for the council.

Delayed on Mission—Premier J. D. MacLean, who intended leaving the East on Monday on his return trip to Victoria, was delayed, according to reports received from him, and did not get away until the following day. He is expected to reach the Coast Sunday.

New Bus—Reeve Crouch, of Saanich, in speaking at Cloverdale School last evening, said that a new bus was contemplated for the municipal bus service before the summer and the present small bus would be rejuvenated by replacing the engine with a more powerful one.

Bars Crime Pictures—Representations have been made to the Attorney-General's department against allowing Hickman murder case films being shown on the screen in British Columbia. The Attorney-General gives the assurance that he has taken steps to have such banned or any other film that may depict crime.

Enters Law Practice—The announcement is made that Mr. Walter S. Owen, of Vancouver, who has just been called to the bar, is entering into practice in that city in partnership with Mr. A. L. P. Hunter, of the firm of Hunter & Davidson. The firm name will be that of Hunter & Owen. Mr. Owen, who was the first premier in the Older Boys' Parliament upon its organization in the province, has taken a deep interest in young people's work, and is known throughout the whole of the province.

Mr. Bennett in Regina

REGINA, Sask., Jan. 11.—Greeted enthusiastically by many Regina citizens, despite his late arrival from Saskatoon today, Hon. R. B. Bennett, Chieftain of the Conservative Party, spent a busy day in the city. Conferences with the city and provincial Conservative associations were held during the day, while in the evening Mr Bennett addressed a dinner and later spoke at a public reception in the city hall.

News and Notes of Realty in Victoria and District

By H. D. PATTERSON

A round of the brokers' offices elicits the information that inquiries are picking up now that the holidays are over, and the snow and cold weather have disappeared. A few sales of residential and country property have already been made. One valuable piece of Yates Street vacant business property has changed hands, but the broker concerned declined any publicity at present.

The following sales were reported by brokers:

Pemberton & Sons—A large suburban residence with extensive grounds to a newcomer from the Interior; two acres near Resthaven to a recent arrival from the Orient who is adding to his holdings; a ten-acre property at Elk Lake with buildings, to a local buyer; a ten-acre linproved farm on Wilkinson Road to a man from Manitoba; a five-acre fruit farm at Keating to a Saskatchewan purchaser, and a five-acre piece of strawberry land at Keating to an Alberta man.

Brett & Ker, Limited—Eight and a half acres near Swan Lake bought by the adjoining owner, also a house of six rooms in the Burnside district to a local buyer.

P. R. Brown & Sons, Limited—A house of five rooms near the High School to an Alberta man; small houses at the Willows and on Birch Street to local purchasers.

Alfred Carmichael & Co., Limited—A parcel sixty feet by one hundred and twenty on Quadra Street at the corner of Johnson Street to Mr. Peter Bell; also a house of five rooms on Collinson Street to a local buyer (which, they state, was sold again within a few days); a five-room furnished bungalow on Simcoe Street to a local purchaser; lots on Newport Avenue, St. Lulie Street and Cadboro Bay Road, to local purchasers.

R. G. Christy && Co., Limited—A new stucco bungalow on Menzies Street to a local buyer, and a lot on Wellington Street to a local builder.

T. B. Monk & Co.—A house of six rooms on Bee Street, Oak Bay, to a local purchaser; also a bungalow of four rooms on Fifth Street to an Alberta buyer.

Branson, Brown & Co., Limited—Two parcels of acreage at Cadboro Bay, both to local buyers.

Coles, Howell & Co., Ltd.—A bungalow on Shakespeare Street to a buyer from Ohio.

Lee & Parsons, Ltd.—A small house in the Cloverdale district to a Saskatchewan purchaser.

REAL ESTATE SURVEY

Additional confirmation of the improved business conditions in Canada is contained in the semi-annual survey of the real estate market just completed by the National Association of Real Estate Boards, covering 310 cities in the United States and Canada.

While only twenty-five per cent of the whole 310 cities reported greater activity than the previous year, fifty-seven per cent of Canadian cities reporting stated that market activity was greater than in 1926. In connection with residential rents, all Canadian cities reported either a stationary or a rising market. One hundred per cent of Canadian cities reported capital seeking loans and forty-three per cent reported interest rates as falling. No decreases are reported in Canadian business or office rentals.

For the whole territory covered by the survey, ninety per cent of the cities reported residential rents as stationary or lower than last year, only ten per cent reporting higher rents.

The subdivision market was reported more active by sixteen per cent of the cities, eighty-four per cent stating that activity was the same or lower than last year.

On the supply of the various types of buildings about fifty per cent of the cities give a normal report, the balance reporting about evenly on over or under-supply. Thirty per cent reported an increase in central business rents, sixteen per cent an increase in rentals of outlying business property, eleven per cent an increase in central office building rents, and six per cent an increase in outlying office building rents.



Teaching the Young (Chinese) Idea How to Shoot
Evans in The Columbus Dispatch.

IRISH MAY SELL RIFLES TO CANADA

LONDON, Jan. 11.—The rifles which Canada is reported desirous of buying from the Irish Free State are surplus stock which are to be disposed of to help the Free State public funds.

A report in Ottawa was that 1,200 rifles had been purchased for the Canadian Naval Volunteer Reserve at a cost of seven dollars each, but it is stated in Ireland that negotiations are not yet concluded.

Lindbergh Tour

BALBOA, Canal Zone, Jan. 11.—Colonel Charles A. Lindbergh has definitely decided to extend his tour of goodwill. Having virtually completed his Central American tour he will fly to Venezuela, landing as close as possible to Caracas. He will go to Saint Thomas, one of the Virgin Islands, and to Porto Rico, Haiti and Santo Domingo. He will take off for Colon on the Caribbean Sea tomorrow morning. But his plans have not been definitely decided with regard to dates and the sequence of his flights.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Men and women who may feel self-conscious of disfiguring moles or birthmarks should consult Miss Hanman, who has had nearly twenty years' experience in this work, to which she devotes her time exclusively. Consultations private and free of obligation. 563 Sayward Building.

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British Empire Lectures (Illustrated) Chamber of Commerce, Saturday, 14th, at 8 p.m. "Ancient Egypt, by Fred T. Poort. Admission free.

Women's Canadian Club bridge and mah jong party, Amphion Hall, Tuesday, January 17, at 2:45 p.m. Players, $1; tea guests, 50c. Reservations to 2348.

Centennial Church Ladies' Aid will hold a home cooking stall in the basement of David Spencer, Ltd., Saturday morning, Jan. 14.

What Books Have You and what periodicals for Victoria College Library? Sec. Women's Canadian Club, 2348 or leave at Y.

Barker's Massage and Bath establishment has moved to 206 and 208 Campbell Building. Phone 3446.

Chiropodists. Barkers are now at 205 and 206 Campbell Building.

Sale—Local Scenery Paintings greatly reduced. Parker, View Street.

MR. AMERY TO SPEND TODAY IN ROCKIES

KAMLOOPS, B.C., Jan. 11.—Continuing his journey East and revisiting the scenes of his adventures of over twenty years ago, when he canoed down the Fraser River a distance of 400 miles, and also put up a canoe speed record of six and one-half miles in just under twenty minutes, the Hon. L. C. M. S. Amery, M.P., Secretary of State for the Dominions, arrived at Kamloops this evening on the last lap of his tour which has embraced all the Dominions. Tomorrow morning the special train will be halted at Field to enable the distinguished visitor to view Mount Stephen. The town of Banff will be reached tomorrow at 11:25 a.m., and here an extensive programme of Winter sports has been arranged by the parks superintendent, Mr. Stronach. This will include several hours of skiing. Mr. Amery and party will leave Banff tomorrow evening at 10:40 for Edmonton, where on Friday, at 1 p.m., the Secretary of State will address the Canadian Club at luncheon.

Actress Engaged

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RITUAL MURDER CASE RECALLED

VIENNA, Jan. 11.—Leopold Hilsner, victim of the Polna "Ritual muredr" accusation which stirred the world at the beginning of the twentieth century, died here today at the age of fifty-one, ten years after his release from prison, after serving eighteen years of a life sentence. He was pardoned by the late Emperor Franz Josef in 1918.

On April 1, 1899, at Polna, Bohemia, the body of Agnes Khruza, a nineteen-year-old seamstress, was found in a forest with her throat gashed. Hilsner, twenty-three years old, was accused of the murder, convicted and sentenced to death. The public prosecutor intimated that a ritual murder, in conection with alleged Jewish religious ceremonies, had occurred.

The medical faculty of the Czech University of Prague, however, developed that no blood was missing and that the obtaining of blood for this supposed ritual must be excluded as a motive.

CHARLES CHAPLIN PAYS INCOME TAX

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 11.—Government income tax liens totalling $1,670,638 today were released here against Charles Spencer Chaplin, the film comedian, the Charles Chaplin Film Corporation and the Charles Chaplin Film Corporation transferee. The liens were ordered released in the Federal court at the request of Glen H. Welch, collector of internal revenue, who announced that he had received a telegram from Washington announcing payment in full by Chaplin in the East.

Of the total amount $1,073,721 covered delinquent income taxes claimed by the government from Chaplin individually from 1918 to 1924 inclusive.

Peace the Best Policy

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—Senator Raoul Dandurand's words to the League of Nations Assembly in 1925 that "peace is the greatest of British interests" were quoted by Sir Esme Howard, British Ambassador, in an address before the American Engineering Council here. The Senator's statement that governments would all have to conform to the principle of peace or "their existence would be short-lived indeed," would be unhesitatingly endorsed by the vast majority of British people, Sir Esme said.

Ambassador Howard concluded: "Believe me, gentlemen, if there is one country in the world with which both from inclination and from interest we desire peace it is the United States."

Pulp Mills Merge

MONTREAL, Jan. 11.—Directors of the St. Maurice Valley Corporation and Laurentide Company today agreed upon terms which will bring these two large producers of newsprint together under a new holding company, the Canada Power and Paper Corporation.

The deal is set forth in a letter from Sir Herbert S. Holt, president of the St. Maurice Valley Corporation, to the shareholders of that enterprise. The new company will be a Quebec corporation with its head office at Montreal. Its authorized share capital will consist of 750,000 shares without nominal or par value. This amalgamation will bring it under unified control the operations of mills of the St. Maurice Valley Corporation group at Shawinigan Falls, Three Rivers and Windsor mills, and the Laurentide Company, Limited, at Grand Mere. These mills have a combined daily capacity of more than 1,400 tons of paper products.

British Divorces

LONDON, Jan. 11.—Divorce petitions show a considerable increase for the Hilary sittings for the first quarter of the term, which opened today. Seven hundred and ten cases cases are listed, as compared with 600 for the same period of 1927.

Chamberlain Fails

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—Thwarted after a four-hour flight in an attempt to establish a new world's endurance record, Clarence Chamberlin, transatlantic flyer, and a companion, Roger Q. Williams, landed late today and immediately began planning to start at dawn tomorrow.



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Found Dead

FORT WILLIAM, Jan. 11.—The body of Hawley Clapp, eighteen, was found 1st night by the roadside with a bullet through his breast. Young Clapp left home yesterday afternoon, saying he was going out to try and shoot a wolf and took with him a 20-20 rifle. An inquest has been ordered.

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Most Picturesque Ball in History of Canada



ABOVE are two exclusive pictures taken at the state ball held in the Quebec Parliament Buildings, to mark the social debut of Miss Yvette McKenna, granddaughter of His Honor Narcisse Perodeau, Lieutenant-Governor of Quebec. The picturesque couple on the left is Mr. and Mrs. John Perodeau, son and daughter-in-law of the Lieutenant-Governor, and on the right is a picture of Senator W. L. McDougald, dressed as chieftain of the McDougald clan, and Mrs. McDougald as the chieftain's wife, in a 1715 costume. The ball was perhaps the most brilliant affair that has ever taken place in this country.

UNDERWRITERS NAME OFFICERS

Victoria and Island Life Insurance Agents Select Mr. Alex. Marshall as President for 1928 Term

LOCAL BODY WINS THE TOTEM POLE

Mr. Alex. Marshall, of the Prudential Life Insurance Comany, was chosen president of the Victoria and Island Life Underwriters' Association for 1928, at the annual meeting of the organization, held last night in the Chamber of Commerce. Mr. Marshall succeeds Mr. J. R. B. Moore, of the Monarch Life, as head of the life underwriters' body.

The other officials chosen include Mr. Fred Lewin, Confederation Life, vice-president; Mr. J. W. Dobbie, Metropolitan Life, secretary; Mr George A. Dyson, Sun Life, treasurer; and Messrs. Thomas Humphroes, Dominion Life; H. F. Shade, Mutual Life; and R. A. Power, Great West Life, members of the executive.

President Marshall and the other 1928 officers, were installed in their respective posts by the following: Messrs. W. E. McIntyre, Mutual Life; Captain A. M. Aitken, Great West Life; Alex. Peden, New York Life, and J. R. B. More, Monarch Life.

VICTORIA IS WINNER

Enthusiasm greeted the reading of a telegram from the Dominion secretary, Mr. E. V. Chown, of Toronto, which announced that the Victoria and Island Underwriters' Association had won the contest for the largest increase of members among the various life underwriters' associations in the Dominion during the past year.

The local life underwriters' body will, accordingly, have in their possession for the next twelve months the Totem Pole, which is emblematic of the contest.

The Totem Pole, which was presented to the Life Underwriters' Association ten years ago for annual competition, by the late Mr. J. Burtt Morgan, president of the Life Underwriters' Association of Canada for the years 1916-1927, and former Victoria manager of the Great West Life Assurance Company, is a unique miniature reproduction in silver and gold of one of the genuine totem poles in the Provincial Museum in Victoria.

The body of the pole, a half cylinder of heavy sterling silver, is twelve inches high, two and one-half inches wide, and is mounted on a pedestal of polished oak. The design is in heavy relief overlaid with different colored gold to represent the painted figures.

TO FORMULATE PLANS

Last night's meeting of the life underwriters took the form of a supper function, and there was a record attendance of members. Retiring President J. R. B. More, Monarch Life, occupied the chair. During the session, community singing was led by Mr. J. W. Dobbie, Metropolitan Life.

The new executive will hold a meeting shortly, when plans will be formulated for the 1928 programme, which promises to be progressive, instructive and entertaining.

On the motion of Mr. J. R. M. Wallis, Confederation Life, a vote of thanks to the retiring officers was heartily tendered.

NEW FORD ENGINE SHOWN ON FILM

The large main showroom of the National Motor Company was filled to capacity last evening when moving pictures of the construction and assembling of the new Ford car were shown. Each picture was carefully explained in detail, and a feature of the production was the care and accuracy with which each detail of the work was carried out, with special regard to weight.

The new transmission, which ranks with the foremost made, was shown in detail, and is said to be an exact copy, on a smaller scale, of the Lincoln transmission.

The lubrication system, clutch, cooling system and final assembling of the engine and body were minutely explained, and the new Fordor model and truck were on view.

JUDGMENT WILL SET ONTARIO PRECEDENT

TORONTO, Jan. 11.—Judgment which will create an important precedent for Ontario was reserved yesterday by Mr. Justice McEvoy in Supreme Court after hearing a motion made on behalf of Irving J. Isbell, broker, asking for the quashing of his committal for trial on a charge of conspiracy to affect the market price of stock of the Eastern Metals and Smelters Companies. The quashing of information laid against Isbell, together with the warrant for his arrest, was also asked.

The interesting point at issue centred around the preliminary proceedings taken in arresting and rushing the accused to Toronto from Montreal in a motor car. The argument of the case yesterday brought forward the fact that the Appeate Courts of Manitoba and Alberta had ruled that if the preliminary proceedings were irregular and the accused formally protested, he could not be tried, while the courts of British Columbia, Nova Scotia and New Brunswick have given decisions favoring the Crown.

NARCOTIC DRUG ACT PRONOUNCED VALID

VANCOUVER, Jan. 11.—Rejecting the contention of defence counsel that the Opium and Narcotic Drug Act was a licensing measure and thus infringed provincial rights and, thereforc, ultra vires of the Dominion Parliament, Mr. Justice W. A. Macdonald in Supreme Court today dismissed the habeas corpus applications on behalf of Ichizo Wakabayashi, Japanese, and Lore Yip, Chinese, convicted and sentenced to three years' imprisonment for distributing cocaine and morphine.

"I have no hesitation in holding that the act in question is criminal and not licensing legislation," stated his lordship.

With the Ex-Service Organizations

In Victoria and District

TUBERCULOUS VETERANS

Comrade Dawe was elected president of the Tuberculous Veterans, Victoria branch No. 18, of the Canadian Legion at the annual meeting held on Tuesday. Other officers elected are as follows: Vice-president, Comrade Cornwall; secretary, Comrade J. G. Shaw; executive committee, Comrades Huxtable, Moss, Harrison, Taylor and Banks.

A vote of thanks was passed to the Ladies' Auxiliary for their work in connection with the Christmas tree for the children, the supplying of a piano for the clubrooms, and their many other kindnesses during the past year.

It was announced that the annual banquet and social evening for the members will be held at 1230 Government Street, at 6 o'clock tonight.



SAANICH SCHOOL COSTS SURVEYED

Trustee Albert E. Horner Gives Figures in Speech Made at Cloverdale School

"The cost of operating fifteen Saanich schools during 1927 amounted to $124,102, as compared with $132,032 during 1926," said Trustee Albert E. Horner last evening at Cloverdale School, in appealing to the ratepayers for re-election to the Saanich School Board. "Of this sum the Government contributed $37,230," continued the candidate.

"Teachers' salaries amounted to $68,067.53; janitors' salaries, $7,722.67; fuel, $2,484.45; repairs, $4,920; medical inspection, $3,458; insurance, $2,223; transportation to and from schools, $4,300, and upkeep of grounds, $1,274. There are at present 2,218 school children, and their health this year is better than it has been for a number of years." Trustee Horner concluded by saying that at the end of the year a credit balance existed of $1,667.52, made up of cash and supplies on hand.

MR. WILLIAM TOMES

Mr. William Tomes, also a candidate for election to the School Board, devoted a few words of criticism of the board's action in appointing non-taxpayers to janitorial positions at Tillicum and Tolmie schools. He told of being asked by Mr. F. F. Beckett whether he was seeking election to the board in the interests of the children or to satisfy a private grudge, and mentioned work done by himself in England along the lines of physical culture classes, life-saving classes and Summer holiday schemes.

"Each repeater costs the Saanich taxpayers $65 a year, and there are now about 200," said Mr. Walter P. Jeune, a candidate for election to the School Board. "The sum of $124,102 has been spent for the education of 2,218 school children, and if the money had been spent by a business house a statement would be required as to the number of passes, failures, and other details, and I believe complete facts and figures should be compiled by the School Board in the interests of better education."

CAN'T SEE SAVING

"I cannot see where $3,000 has been saved in operation of the Saanich municipal hall," said Councillor William Graham, who was recently elected by acclamation to the council for the sixth year. "New and inexperienced help was taken on in place of those dismissed with two months' salary in advance, and the estimated cost of improvements to the hall was exceeded by $150.

"We should relieve the municipal clerk of some of his responsibilities and take away from him his power of dismissal of other staff members."

Councillor Graham concluded by praising the clerk for his management of finances, and assured the audience that he would put forth efforts to have more time devoted to the assessment roll.

Reeve Crouch sought to clear up the matter of being accused by his opponent of instigating the placing of the present improvement tax on fifteen per cent of improvements. He read Councillor David Milne's statement at a council meeting held on June 10: "In Ward Seven last year the people admitted being undertaxed, the ward being $12,900 short in its liabilities, and the residents want to pay their share. The improvement tax should be imposed, and I will support one on ten per cent of the value of improvements, with a higher one next year if necessary." It appeared that the suggestion to tax fifteen per cent of the value of improvements arose from Councillors Vantreight and Oldfield on June 14, when the present mill rate of thirty mills was fixed.

The Reeve traced the income and expenditures of the municipality in every department, pointing out the surpluses existing in nearly every branch. "The health committee is the only council committee which overstepped the bounds of expenditure and ended up with a deficit of $1,500," said the Reeve. "Councillor Milne states that the Health Centre is a good example of his business administration, but I cannot agree with him."

DISPUTES REPORT

"The article appearing in The Colonist of June 10 stating that Reeve Crouch alone stood for no tax on improvements is misleading," said Councillor Milne, opposing Reeve Crouch for the reeveship of Saanich. "It was the Reeve who suggested that fifteen per cent of the value of improvements should be taxed, to save a deadlock in the council."

"I have no desire to contest the reeveship, but have considerable interests in Ward 7 and do not want to see them sacrificed for a hasty decision. I am in the campaign on the request of many of the taxpayers with the idea of producing stable conditions in Saanich. Reeve Crouch has used language to the outer wards which has antagonized the residents."

When asked whether he was still in favor of taxing improvements the candidate would give no definite answer, stating, "I am making no promises to anyone." There was considerable audible comment at this point.

In speaking of the Health Centre and explaining the workings of the public health system Councillor Milne said that the drainage was poor at the institution and the walls were of such an inferior construction that the plaster fell off when touched, necessitating many repairs and considerable extra work to be done in the future.

"Why is it that the taxpayers expressed their wishes in the form of a plebiscite against taxing improvements and yet the council went over their heads and did tax improvements?" asked one of the audience. The councillor replied that the question was too difficult to answer, amid shouts of "We want a man who can answer our questions."

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Whassat?

By J. R. Striebel



Here's a young scientist hungrily pursuing knowledge in the great field of "bug-ology." Or perhaps it's merely Sherlock Holmes looking for a clue.

Winnipeg Furs

WINNIPEG, Jan. 11.—This was "fox day" at the Winnipeg fur auction sales and there was a keen demand from international buyers present. Fox prices ranged ten to fifteen per cent over the last sale and in line with present open market quotations. Prices for the half-blacks ranged from $150 to $290, blacks and sprayed skins $35 to $90, quarter-blacks from $90 to $190 and all-silver from $60 to $140.

WINNIPEG, Jan. 11.—Buyers from Eastern and Western Canada and the United States yesterday attended the opening of the Winnipeg fur action sales.

Skunk pelts were ten per cent higher, reaching a top of $2.75; bears $9; otter $37.50; wolverine $18; red fox $47.50, and fisher $115.

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Society and Women's Affairs

Personals, Parties Visitors

At Crystal Garden Dance

Noticed at the Crystal Garden supper dance last evening were Colonel and Mrs. Martyn, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Balagno, Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Fraser, Dr. and Mrs. Poyntz, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McAfferty, Mr. and Mrs. Palsetto, Mr. and Mrs. John Grant, Lieutenant and Mrs. W. Creery, Mr. and Mrs. Pollard, Colonel and Mrs. Winsby, Dr. and Mrs. Richards, Mr. and Mrs. Howsie, Mr. and Mrs. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Horton, Mr. and Mrs. McCarter, Miss D. Ford, Miss R. Pritchard, Miss B. Simpson, Miss A. Goff, Miss B. Phillips, Miss M. Crease, Miss J. Dunbar, Miss M. Oates, Miss A. Simpson, Miss M. Kingscote, Mr. E. Woods, Mr. T. Rickerson, Mr. E. Urry, Mr. P. Stephenson, Mr. E. Platt, Mr. D. Cameron, Mr. R. Blomfield, Mr. T. Crease, Mr. D. Brown, Mr. H. A. Tomalin, Lieutenant-Commander Worth, Flight-Lieutenant Townsend, Mr. L. Eastman, Mr. J. Huldekoper, and others.

Hostess at Party

Mrs. T. O. Mackay, Fairfield Terrace, entertained at bridge and mah jong yesterday, with additional guests for tea. The table was charmingly arranged with orchid-shaded chrysanthemums. Mrs. C. E. Thomas and Mrs. F. E. Winslow poured tea and coffee. The invited guests included Lady Cameron, Lady McBride, Mrs. W. C. Nichol, Mrs. Galt, Mrs. Harry Bullen, Mrs. E. G. Prior, Mrs. MacGachen, Mrs. Arthur Jones, Mrs. A. T. Goward, Mrs. R. W. Gibson, Mrs. Archer Martin, Mrs. Lorne Campbell, Mrs. Harry Ross, Mrs. Jack Rithet, Mrs. Alexis Martin, Mrs. H. D. Twigg, Mrs. Herbert Wilson, Mrs. A. C. Burdick, Mrs. T. A. Gore, Mrs. Walker, Mrs. Noel Money, Mrs. Frank Gregory, Mrs. Charles Strangman, the Misses Goff, Mrs. J. W. Troup, Mrs. P. S. Lampman, Mrs. H. J. Wasson and Mrs. Homer Dixon.

Entertain for Visitors

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cobley, Cook Street, entertained on Tuesday evening in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Gardner, of Calgary, and Mr. and Mrs. Ferringer, of San Francisco. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Sturgeon, Mr. and Mrs. Townsend, Dr. and Mrs. Livsay, Mr. and Mrs. J. Gould, Mr. and Mrs. Hartnell, Mr. and Mrs. Munroe, Mrs. Rosemergey, Miss Turner, Mrs. Kirkham, Mrs. Gallie, Mr. C. Kirkham and Mr. and Mrs. Campbell, of Calgary.

Entertain United States Admiral

In honor of Admiral S. S. Robison, of the United States Naval Station at Bremerton, the American Consul, Mr. George Bucklin, and Mrs. George Bucklin and Miss Velma Bucklin, entertained at dinner on Monday evening at their home, "The Oaks," Oak Bay Avenue. The table was artistically arranged with a central bowl of pink sweet peas, carnations and maidenhair fern, and tall pink candles in silver sconces. The invited guests included, in addition to the guest of honor, Admiral Robison, His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor and Miss Mackenzie, Commander and Mrs. Nelles, Captain Bowes, U.S.N., also of Bremerton Naval Station, Captain and Mrs. Troup and Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Warren.

Aboard Aorangi

Among the Vancouver passengers aboard the Aorangi last evening were Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Baker and family, Mr. M. and Mr. Jan Cherniavsky and Mrs. Cherniavsky, Mr. and Mrs. R. Millbank, and Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Spencer and Master David Spencer. Mr. and Mrs. Walter Seligman, of New York, were also among the passengers.

Back From England

Mrs. Norman Yarrow and her small daughter returned to Victoria yesterday, after three months' absence in England. Mr. Yarrow, who sailed with them on the Ss. Aquitania from Southampton on December 28, is detained for a few days in the East, and will not arrive here until next week.

Holiday in Hawaii

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Porter, 1034 Pandora Avenue, left on the Ms. Aorangi on a two-month holiday in the Hawaiian Islands. Their daughter, Norma, is returning to Strathcona Girls' School, Shawnigan Lake, today to continue her studies.

At Empress Hotel

Registrations at the Empress Hotel yesterday included Mr. J. A. and Mr. A. C. Coleman, of Winnipeg; Miss Esther B. Phillips, of San Francisco; Mr. and Mrs. T. Luney, of Calgary; and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Gaudin, of White Horse, Yukon.

Leaves for Eastern States

Mrs. Birdseye, who has been the guest of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Turpin, Villa Grazia, Rockland Avenue, for the past two months, left by the afternoon boat for Seattle yesterday, en route for her home in the Eastern States.

Leave for Honolulu

To leave for Honolulu on a visit, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cobbs, of Portland, and Mr. and Mrs. James G. Eddy arrived at the Empress Hotel yesterday, and sailed last evening on the motorship Aorangi.

Leave for England

Lord and Lady Rodney left for England yesterday, and expect to be absent about six weeks.

In King's Honors List



HERE with his wife is shown the Hon. Alfred Bishop Morine, K.C., given a knighthood in the King's New Year's honors list. Sir Alfred, a member of the Munroe Cabinet in Newfoundland, formerly practised law in Ontario. Sir Alfred was a classmate of Hon. R. B. Bennett at Dalhousie University. Lady Morine was the former Alice McLisse Mason, of Halifax, N. S.

Returns to U.B.C.

Miss Frances Bell, who has been spending the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Bell, Transit Road, has returned to resume her studies at the University of British Columbia.

Sail on Aorangi

General and Mrs. J. W. Stewart and Miss Margaret Stewart, of Vancouver, sailed on the Aorangi last evening.

Leave for Honolulu

Mrs. Z. I. Fawcett and little daughter, Betty, left on the Ms. Aorangi for Honolulu, where they will spend several months.

Here From Prairies

Registered at the Strathcona Hotel are Mr. and Mrs. Milo Munro, of Milo, Alberta; and Mr. and Mrs. G. Lee, of Lilac, Sask.

Leave for Lillooet

Mrs. O. M. Jones and Dr. and Mrs. T. M. Jones have left for Lillooet, where they will spend a few weeks.

At Koksilah

Miss Mabel Douglas, of Victoria, is visiting her uncle, Mr. B. Deane-Freeman, and Mrs. Deane-Freeman at Koksilah, V.I.

Return From Seattle

Mrs. T. M. Milligan and her daughter, Mrs. R. Tyhurst, returned yesterday from Seattle, where they had been visiting friends.

At "Highlands"

Mrs. John Irving is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Little, "Highlands," Rockland Avenue, for a few days.

At Angela

Mr. B. A. Mitchell, of Kelowna, is at the Angela for a few days before returning to Brentwood College at the end of the week.

From Kelowna

Mrs. W. A. Baldwin, of Kelowna, has arrived at the Angela to spend the remainder of the Winter.

Returns to Shawnigan

Miss Gildea returned to Shawnigan Lake yesterday.

Here From Trail

Guests at the Dominion Hotel include Mr. H. McDermott, of Trail.

Metchosin Personals

Mrs. Hadow, of Victoria, is spending a few days visiting her daughter, Mrs. Fergus Reid.

Rev. and Mrs. Gemmill have returned after spending a week at Devonshire House.

Campbell River News

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Grant, of Sechelt, arrived on Sunday at Campbell River, where they will make their home for the present.

Mr. H. M. Burlinghame, after spending several weeks at Campbell River, left for his home in Seattle.

The Misses Elin and Lillian Thulin entertained a few friends at bridge on Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Cross have returned after spending a few weeks with relatives at West Summerford.

Mrs. S. Ritchie and son are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rogers in Vancouver.

Mr. Frank Cross, Jr., returned to Vancouver at the end of last week.

Mr. J. D. Drummond and family have taken up residence at Gibson's Landing.

Pupils' Recital

The pupils of Miss Audrey Wood, L.A.B., gave a pianoforte recital on Saturday evening at her studio, 1620 Belmont Avenue, to which an interested audience of parents and friends listened with great appreciation. There were fourteen items on the programme, all of which were rendered with fine interpretation and technique. The numbers deserving special mention were those played by Lauretta McCall, a young student of great promise; Howard Parfitt, and four short compositions by Walter Carrol, played by Graham McCall, from memory, after only six months' tuition. Norman Parfitt also showed great promise, and the duets played by Howard and Norman Parfitt were exceptionally good in time and rhythm. The serving of refreshments brought an enjoyable evening to a close.

In the course of a duel in France the parties discharged their pistols without effect, whereupon one of the seconds proposed that the combatants should shake hands. To this the other second objected. "It is quite unnecessary," said he; "their hands have been shaking for half an hour."

Fashion Fancies

By Marie Belmont



A woman who is clever with her needle could easily copy this imported model of blonde satin, which has about it an air of chic, due to simplicity and good lines.

The neckline is novel with a yoke effect, hand-fagoted from the Raglan shoulder.

The circular flare of the front of the skirt falls from the knotted girdle that is fitted about the hips and has ends like bow-ears tacked on the blouse.

Women's Clubs and Societies

St. John's Guild

The annual meeting of the Ladies Guild of St. John's Church was held in the Parish Hall on Tuesday afternpon, a good number being in attendance. Mrs. W. Garner, the president, occupied the chair. The report of the secretary, Mrs. Hartley, also that of the treasurer, Mrs. Weaver, showed a most successful year for 1927. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Hon. president, Mrs. H. Pearson; president, Mrs. W. Garner; secretary, Mrs. Hartley; treasurer, Mrs. Haworth; vice-president, Mrs. Lowe. Other ladies present were Mesdames Winstanley, Steel Mahaffey, Howes and Mawson. The hostesses for the afternon were Mrs. W. A. Cullum and Mrs. G. Barratt.

Royal Purple Lodge

At a meeting of the ladies of the Royal Purple Lodge, held at Nanaimo, officers for the 1928 term were installed by Deputy Supreme Honored Royal Lady Cutler, of Vancouver, assisted by Supreme Treasurer Lady Deane, and Supreme Lecturing Lady Neale, of North Vancouver, and upon its conclusion were presented with bouquets by Past Honored Royal Lady Hindmarch. A very pleasing feature of the evening was the presentation to Lady Hindmarch of a Royal Lady's jewel.

After the lodge session the ladies were hostesses to their friends at the Hotel Malaspina, where refreshments were served, and dancing indulged in until midnight.

Plans Bridge Party

The monthly meeting of the Robert Burns McMicking Chapter, of the I.O.D.E., was held on Tuesday evening at the home of Miss Kathleen Tadman, 639 Harbinger Avenue. Mrs. C. S. Brown was welcomed to the chapter as a new member. Nominations were made for the election of officers to be held at the next meeting. Arrangements were made to hold a bridge party on February 6, at the Knights of Columbus Hall, Government Street.

Children's Entertainment

The children of the Oriental Home will give an entertainment in the Sunday school of Oak Bay United Church tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock. This is always a particularly interesting affair and well worth the attendance of all who are interested in missionary projects of the church. The children are most intelligent and entertaining, and deserve encouragement. A general invitation is extended.

Guild Meeting

The annual meeting of the St. Alban's Ladies' Guild was held in the church on January 5, Rev. J. W. Leighton in the chair. There was a good attendance of members. The yearly report of the secretary was then read, after which the election of officers took place as follows: Mrs. Andrews, president; Mrs. Swan, vice-president; Mrs. Gallop, secretary, and Mrs. Chappel, treasurer. Refreshments were served.

Ladysmith I. O. D. E.

The regular monthly meeting of the Ladysmith Chapter of the I.O.D.E. took place at the home of Mrs. Attwood on Tuesday afternoon, it being the meeting prior to the annual meeting, which will be held on January 31, when officers will be elected for the ensuing year.

Dean to Speak

The Women's Educational Auxiliary will meet this afternoon in the lecture room of the First United Church, when Dean Quainton will speak on "Mohammedanism." A musical programme will be given and tea served.

Daughters of England

Lodge Primrose No. 32, Daughters and Maids of England, will meet tomorrow evening, in the S.O.E. Hall. The District Deputy Grand President will install the officers for the ensuing year. The meeting will commence at 8 o'clock.

St. Joseph's Auxiliary

The Ladies' Auxiliary to St. Joseph's Hospital will hold its monthly business meeting tomorrow at 3:15 p.m. in the nurses' recreation room, when sewing meetings will be resumed.

Good Fellowship Dinner

The Junior Chamber of Commerce will hold its New Year good fellowship dinner this evening at 6 o'clock in the rooms of the Chamber. One of the features of the evening will be an address by Mr. J. L. Beckwith, who will outline the plans that the school board has in view in connection with the project for a technical school here.

Kitty McKay

By Nina Wilcox Putnam



The girl-friend says her baby is going to be a sign manufacturer. He makes signs already, before he can talk!

Weddings

COLES—MIDDLETON

A pretty wedding was solemnized on Saturday evening at the home of the bride's parents, 534 Dunedin Street, when Rev. James Strachan united in matrimony Mabel Doreen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. Middleton, to Mr. Harold Leslie Norman Coles, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. Coles, of this city.

The bride was given in marriage by her father and entered the room to the strains of the "Wedding March," played by Miss Hazel Clyde, her cousin. She wore an apricot georgette gown, trimmed with pink rosebuds and rhinestones, and wore a silver bandeau in her hair. She carried an arm bouquet of white chrysanthemums and maidenhair fern. Miss Grace Middleton, her sister, was bridesmaid, and wore a mauve satin gown, trimmed with pink rosebuds and lace. She carried an arm bouquet of white and yellow chrysanthemums. Mr. Alex. Coles, brother of the groom, was best man. During the signing of the register, Mrs. Alex. Coles sang "O Promsie Me."

Following the service a buffet supper was served from a prettily decorated table centred with a three-tier wedding cake. Mrs. H. F. Bishop and Mrs. T. W. Allan presided at the tea and coffee urns. The table decorations were carried out in pink and white flowers and candles. The young couple received their many guests, standing beneath a pink and white floral arch, from which were suspended two wedding bells. Mrs. E. B. McLean was responsible for the floral decorations and was assisted by Mrs. Alex Coles and Misses Grace and Verna Middleton. The young couple left for Seattle, the bride traveling in a shot silk taffeta dress with a blue marvella coat and hat to match. Among the numerous handsome wedding gifts received was a silver cake plate from the British Columbia Telephone Company, of which staff the bride was a member; also a cheque from the employees of Moore & Whittington Company, with which the groom is associated.

LEWIS—REID

A quiet but pretty wedding was solemnized yesterday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, at the home of the bride's parents, 123 Simcoe Street, when Rev. A. deB. Owen united in marriage the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. Reid, Elizabeth (Beth) Grace Reid, R.N., and Mr. Cecil Lewis, youngest son of Mr. and Mrs. B. Lewis, of this city, only the immediate relatives being present. The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, was pretty in a French model gown of periwinkle blue and carried a bouquet of Ophelia roses and pink carnations with maidenhair fern. Miss Irene Smart, R.N., was bridesmaid and wore a pleated gown of old rose georgette and carried a bouquet of white and mauve chrysanthemums. Mr. Harry Lewis, brother of the groom, acted as best man. Luncheon was served, after which the young couple left on the afternoon boat for Seattle, where the honeymoon will be spent, the bride traveling in a black seal plush coat, trimmed with fox fur, and a gold metal cloth hat. The bride and groom received many handsome and useful gifts. Upon their return they will reside at 942 Courtney Street.

NEVILLE—McINNIS

A pretty wedding was solemnized Wednesday afternoon, at the residence of Rev. Dr. Campbell, Windsor Road, when Jessie May Violet, younger daughter of Mr and Mrs. John McInnis, of Maple Bay, and Mr. Sydney Ernest, son of Mr. Thomas Neville and the late Mrs. Neville, of Moosomin, Sask., were united in marriage. The bride was charming in a gown of ashes of roses georgette and hat en suite, and carried a bouquet of Ophelia roses and maidenhair fern. She was attended by Miss Madge McCallum, who wore a frock of navy blue georgette and carried a bouquet of pink roses and maidenhair fern. The groom was attended by Mr. Harold Duncan. After the ceremony the bridal party repaired to the home of Mrs. J. McCallum, Rutledge Street, where a buffet supper was served, the table being centred with the three-tier wedding cake. Bride and groom left on the afternoon boat for Seattle and other Sound cities, where the honeymoon will be spent. For traveling the bride wore a wrap of brown duvetyn, a fox fur and model hat of brown velvet. On their return Mr. and Mrs. Neville will reside at 663 Burnside Road.

Women's Canadian Club

Many applications for tables are being received for the annual bridge and mah jong party which the Women's Canadian Club will hold at the Amphion Hall, over the former Gordon's store, Yates Street, on Tuesday next, January 17, at 2:45 p.m. Tables reservations may be made to Mrs. H. F. Crowe, the secretary, at 2348, or to any member of the executive. Additional guests will be welcomed at the tea hour.

The teacher was giving the kindergarten class a lesson in natural history. Turning to one small tot, she inquired, "What do elephants have that no other animals have?" "Little elephants," was the surprising reply.

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Island Women Are Active in all Institute Plans

SOUTH SAANICH

At the regular fortnightly military five hundred card party held in Temperance Hall on Saturday evening by the South Saanich Women's Institute, eight tables of players competed. First prizes were won by Mrs. J. Roberts, Mr. J. Roberts, Mr. T. Oxley and Mr. W. McNally with twenty-three flags to their credit. Second honors went to Mrs. Clow, Miss Margaret Michell, Mr. Morley Bickford and Mr. Albert Hafer with twenty-two flags. Following the games, refreshments were served by Misses Doris Michell, Violet McNally and Edith Bickford, who were the committee in charge for the evening. The next game will be on Saturday evening, January 21, in Temperance Hall.

The second wool comforter making bee of the year will be held by the South Saanich Women's Institute in Temperance Hall on Thursday, January 12.

COLWOOD

A special meeting of the directors and conveners of the Fall Fair of the Women's Institute of Colwood was held at the home of Mrs. C. Goodall, the secretary, on Monday afternoon. Plans for the year's work were outlined, the card of which will be issued shortly.

LAKE HILL

An enjoyable evening was spent in Lake Hill Community Hall on Monday when the usual card game was held under the auspices of the Women's Institute. There were eleven tables in play, and prizes were won as follows: First table, Mrs. Knowlton, Mrs. Watson, Mr. Peden and Mr. Hibbard; second table, Mrs. Bingham, Mrs. William Peddle, Mr. Knowlton, Mr. William Peddle; consolation, Mrs. Mercer, Miss Holdcroft, Mr. Harris. Next week's game will be held on Monday under the auspices of the Community Centre, and an effort will be made to start promptly at 8:30 p.m.

OFFICERS CHOSEN FOR ENSUING YEAR

Ward Seven Liberals of Saanich Hear Liberal Candidate Deliver Address on Current Affairs

Ward Seven Saanich Liberal Association elected its officers for 1928 yesterday evening. The list is: Honorary presidents, Rt. Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King and Hon. J. D. MacLean; honorary vice-presidents, Messrs. C. H. O'Halloran and N. W. Whittaker; president, A. W. Arnup, re-elected; vice-president, James Smart; secretary-treasurer, C. E. Forrester; executive, Mesdames A. A. Pass, D. Ramsey and J. Smart, and Messrs. A. A. Pass, J. V. Hancock and W. Washington.

Mr. Whittaker, the Liberal candidate, delivered an address on the social legislation of the Government, tracing the work through the Workmen's Compensation Act, to Old Age Pensions, with reference to Mothers' Pensions, and other developments since the Liberal party took office in British Columbia. He dealt with the expansion of the natural resources of the province since 1916, and took issue with the Conservative criticism of the export of logs from the province, arguing that to prevent the importation of raw products as cotton and coal used in Eastern Canadian manufactures would entail a considerable hardship on factories, particularly in that part of Canada.

Mount Garibaldi Trip Described to Kumtuks

A description of a trip into the Mount Garibaldi Park was given by Miss B. Griffin before the Kumtuks Club at its regular fortnightly luncheon meeting at Spencer's. Miss Griffin illustrated her talk with a number of colored sketches of the surrounding country, and snapshots of amusing incidents that took place on the journey.

The president advised that arrangements were proceeding very satisfactorily in connection with the Schubert Club recital, which takes place at the Empress Hotel on Tuesday next, and that she had a number of tickets for distriouition.

A party to celebrate the seventh birthday of the club will be held at the home of Miss Cameron, 510 Trutch Street, on Saturday evening, January 21, to which all members are invited.

The annual meeting of the club takes place on Monday, January 23, at the Y.W.C.A. Supper will be served at 6 o'clock, and the meeting held immediately after. Officers and directors for the coming year will be elected at his meeting, and reports received covering the work of the past year.

Miss Clarice Gray gave a piano selection, which was greatly enjoyed.

Another Invitation For Maude Royden

Miss A. Maude Royden, the famous woman preacher and head of the Guild House Community Church at Eccleston Square, London, has been invited to address the Women's Canadian Club when in Victoria in the near future. Miss Ryden has also been invited to speak at the City Temple. Her acceptance of the invitations has not yet been received. Miss Royden has just reached the United States on the first part of a tour which will include Japan, China, Australia and India, and she is scheduled to pass through this city on her way to the Orient. She has recently received considerable publicity from the papers of the United States owing to the cancellation of several of her lectures, because of her alleged addiction to smoking, and her views on companionate marriage. Her supposed views in agreement with companionate marriage have since been given an unequivocal denial.

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Phillips Milk of Magnesia, large bottle ..... 39¢
Scott's Emulsion, small ..... 49¢
Large ..... 98¢
Mecca Ointment, $1.00 value, 83¢
Andrew's Liver Salt, 60c value, 47¢
Seidlitz Powders, 25c value ..... 16¢
Roger & Gallet Fancy Soap, box of 3 for ..... 89¢
Atkinson's California Poppy Soap, 50c value ..... 38¢
English Lavender Soap, 10c size, 6 for ..... 44¢

The Following Items Are Clearing at Half Price
Powder Compacts, Atkinson's Bath Crystals, Baby Sets of Brush, Comb, etc., Fancy Perfumes, Ebony Hair Brushes and French Ivory Hair Brushes.

Shaving Brushes, English, set-in rubber ..... 87¢
Genuine Badger Shaving Brushes, super-quality $2.49
English Prophylactic Tooth Brushes ..... 44¢
Sterilized Tooth Brushes, silver wired bristles ..... 39¢
Hutax Tooth Paste, with an Ashlit's tooth brush; 60c value ..... 43¢
Narcissis Bath Dusting Powder for $1.39
I.M.F. (original) Dusting Powder for $1.67
Dusting Powder, large tins, Special price ..... 95¢
Anto-Strop Strops ..... 44¢
Auto-Strop Razors ..... 49¢

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Nine o'Clock Special
Woodbury's Facial Soap
Regular 25c tablets. Box of 3 at the special price of 49¢
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Coats Marked Away Down



Fur-Trimmed Coats—Values to $35.00 for $22.50
Fashioned in styles to suit medium and large figures. Materials are of crushed plush, pinpoint, velours and broadcloth, with trimmings of rich furs. Well lined and interlined. Sizes 16 to 38, also 42½ to 46½. January Sale Price $22.50

Smart Winter Coats—Values to $49.50 for $24.95
Fashioned from needlepoint, duvetyn, suedine, rich plush and fancy tweeds, in up-to-the-minute styles with trimmings of opossum, mandel, nne beaver, caracul, moleskin, French seal and other rich furs. Sizes 16 to 38 and a few extra large sizes. January Sale Price $24.95

Clearance of Smart Sports Suits
A Few Suits in Odd Sizes at $16.50
Odd suits in all-wool knit balbriggan and silk and wool mixtures. Coat and pull-over styles with plain and pleated skirts. Odd sizes only. January Sale Special for $16.50

Sport Suits, Special for $21.95
Included are all-wool knit suits, silk and wool mixtures, silverbriggan, fine serge and wool crepe, in novelty styles with smart colors. Sizes 16 to 38. January Sale Price $21.95

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Clearance of Model Hats

Values Up to $12.50 for $5.50
About 25 Hats, each style different and exclusive in design. Small, medium and large styles and a good assortment of colors; also black. Many were formerly priced at $10.50 and $12.50, but all are now reduced for January Clearance. Sale Price, each $5.50



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Shoes, Values to $7.50 for $3.45
Fine values in quality footwear in plain and combined leathers. All popular styles shown in Oxford, strap and tie models. A range of black kid, patent leather and colored kid, with Cuban heels. Widths B, C and D. January Sale Price, per pair $3.45

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Okanagan Fancy Pack Jonathan Apples, all repacked and guaranteed quality. Special, per box $2.38

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Glycerine Pumice Hand Soap, 3 for 25¢
Royal City Canned Carrots, fancy quality, small and tender. No. 2 tin ..... 20¢
Libby's Sweet Potatoes, No. 2½ tin, 25¢
B.C. Pure Extracted Honey, 12-oz. jars for ..... 22¢
Van Houten's Pure Dutch Cocoa, in bulk, per lb. ..... 52¢
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Ghirardelli's Pure Ground Chocolate, 1-lb. tin. Special ..... 52¢
Heinz Cream of Tomato Soup, tin, 12¢
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Finest Quality Lamb

Shoulders, whole or half, per lb. ..... 27¢
Legs, whole or half, per lb. ..... 42¢
Fillets, average 4 lbs., per lb. ..... 45¢
Loins, trimmed, per lb. ..... 45¢
Ribs, trimmed, per lb. ..... 40¢
Corned Tongues, per lb. ..... 30¢
Corned Rumps, per lb. ..... 27¢
Corned Plate Beef, per lb. ..... 18¢

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Girls' Juliet Silk Hose $1.00 a Pair

Straight Leg Hose, made from pure silk and rayon thread, reinforced at heels and toes, and with lisle garter tops. Colors include oak buff, French nude, plaza grey, blush, grain, black and white. January Sale Price, per pair $1.00

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Children's Three-Quarter Golf Hose to Clear at 49c

Made in England from all pure wool yarns. Spliced heels and toes and fancy turn-over tops, stitched in contrasting colors. Very dependable quality. Sizes 6 to 8 only. January Sale Price, per pair ..... 49¢

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All sizes and styles grouped to clear January Sale Price, per card ..... 4¢

"Mermaid" Invisible Hairpins
100 in a box, black or brown; assorted sizes. January Sale Price, box ..... 8¢
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Shown in all widths and colors; 3 yards on card. January Sale Price, card, 9¢
3 cards for ..... 25¢

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Nine o'Clock Special
Underarm Bags
Regular to $3.95 for $1.98
Envelope style in python and snake grain effects. Well made with interior fittings and fitted with adjustable strap handles. Regular $2.98, $3.50 and $3.95. Grouped for morning special. Today's Nine o'Clock Special Price, $1.98

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Best Quality English Moire Skirts, with knife pleated flounces. Shown in shades of royal, green and rose. Extra large sizes. Regular $2.25. Today's Nine o'Clock Special, each ..... 98¢

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Girls' Bloomers 69c a Pair

Wood's Fleece Knit Cotton Bloomers. Shown in shades of sand, orchid and cream. Sizes 6 to 14 years. January Sale Price, per pair ..... 69¢

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Gossard Corselettes at $2.98

Specially made for the average and stout figures. Shown in fancy broche, well boned over the diaphragm, extra long, and with six hose supporters. Values to $4.50. January Sale Price, per pair, $2.98

Brassieres at Half Price
Broken sizes. Choice of several models in novelty broche and coutil. Regular 98c to $2.95. January Sale Prices ..... 49¢ to $1.48

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Double-Vision Glasses Reduced

Today, Friday and Saturday
Our Optical Department will feature a limited number of double-vision glasses at a substantial reduction in price. The lenses offered are the best quality obtainable, and mounted in a popular type of frame. If you are in need of glasses, or if your present lenses need changing, this offer will appeal.
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The finest English wool underwear, including Wolsey, Viking, Goldfleece and Viking Lamafleece. If you wear sizes 44 to 50 you can obtain the finest wool underwear at almost half price. Shirts and Drawers. Regular to $7.00. Sale Price $3.95
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Solid Brass Fire Screens. Regular $30.00. Sale Price $22.50
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Size 5 ft. Regular $7.50. Sale Special $5.60
Polished Brass Companion Sets. Regular $10.00. Sale Special at $7.50
Regular $5.25 Sale Special, $3.95
Polished Brass Fire Dogs. Regular $16.00. Sale Special $12.00

52-Piece Dinner and Tea Set
Fine quality china, with beautiful glaze finish and dainty floral sprays with bird of paradise design in bright colors. Dinner and tea set for six persons. Regular $32.50. January Sale Price. Special, for $29.75

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One of the popular Meakin's English semi-porcelain, in the new cream body and pretty bright floral decoration and dainty new shapes. Dinner and tea service for twelve people. Regular $36.50. January Sale Price $33.50

23-Piece Tea Sets
There are a few only of these wonderful value tea sets in fine china with plain colors of buff lustre and with mother of pearl lining. January Sale Price, per set $3.95

China Cups and Saucers
Fine China Cups and Saucers in four pretty border decorations. Ovide shapes. Charming for afternoon use. Regular 35c. January Sale Price, each ..... 29¢

—Lower Main Floor, H.B.C.

Bargains in Window Draperies

Curtain Nets and Bordered Marquisettes
Attractive curtain fabrics, fine nets and bordered marquisettes. Values to 39c a yard. January Sale Price, per yard ..... 22¢

Stripe Portiere Curtains
Full Length Curtains in Roman stripe, nicely finished with heavy ball fringe. Regular, per pair, $4.50. A wonderful value at, per pair $2.98

Reversible Terry Cloth
In light and dark grounds, and in very attractive designs and colors. Widths 25 inches and 36 inches. Values to $1.10. January Sale Price, per yard ..... 59¢

Cretonnes
These are among the outstanding bargains of the sale. Very wide selection in extra good quality, 31 and 36 inches wide. Values to $1.25 for January Sale Price, per yard ..... 49¢

Colored Madras
In all wanted shades; 36 inches wide. Excellent value. Formerly to 98c a yard. January Sale Price, per yard ..... 49¢

Brass Curtain Rods
Extension Curtain Rods, opening to 54 inches; complete with hooks. Regular 15c for ..... 10¢

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LATEST SPORT THE WORLD OVER

SHARKEY AT PEAK FOR HEENEY BOUT DUE TO HARD WORK

Has Trained Faithfully for Elimination Fight With Australian and Seems Better Than Ever, Says DeForest—Hands in Good Shape and Eye Is Sharpened

No Ill Effects Left From Jack Dempsey Battle Last Summer

By JIMMY DEFOREST
Special Dispatch to The Colonist and North American Newspaper Alliance.
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NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—Jack Sharkey certainly has trained hard for his fight with Tom Heeney. When he steps into the ring in Madison Square Garden against the Australian heavyweight he'll be at the peak physically.

His hands are O. K. now. Unless he's unlucky they ought to carry through the scheduled twelve rounds. That was one of the things I made sure of when I began watching this Boston man at work.

Sharkey was on the road six to eight miles every morning until he began to taper off. And he's romped through an average of ten rounds a day in his afternoon workouts. His road-work took him around the Brookline reservoir.

Unlike Heeney, Sharkey is good to look at in action. He steps about nicely, whether it's skipping the rope, shadow-boxing or sparring. I don't think his sparring partners have been as good as Heeney's. But then Sharkey really doesn't need much boxing in training. He already is a good boxer.

All he has to do in the boxing line is sharpen his eye, tune up his timing and judgment and distance, and gauge his accuracy in hitting. The fellows he's been working with served this purpose well enough. Jack did most of his gym boxing against Hagan Hassan, the big Turk; Al Friedman, another Boston heavyweight, and Rocky Stone, the clown-like battler who helped him get in shape for the encounter with Jack Dempsey last Summer.

SHARKEY ACCURATE HITTER

Of Sharkey's bag-punching and other training I'll merely say he went through the motions in better style and more gracefully than Heeney did. Sharkey is no mean bag puncher. This accounts for his accuracy in hitting. Jack is a sharp-shooter.

His big aim for this contest has been to whip himself into fine fighting condition. In my opinion he has accomplished this. He has prepared himself to go twelve rounds at top speed. I don't see where he can possibly have any excuse if he's beaten.

Sharkey, in all his workouts, has shown remarkable ability to dodge punches, and remarkable accuracy with a long left and a crossing right. He also has shown a nice one-two punch. It landed as accurately as he could wish, on his sparring partners, at least.

All in all, Sharkey seems as good as ever—a little better, if anything. He has failed to show any ill effects of his fight with Jack Dempsey.

I realize I've been watching him only in training bouts with sparring partners. They, of course, don't class with him, either in speed or boxing ability. And he has been setting his own pace. But he has done so much work, and has done it so well, that I must put the O. K. stamp on his condition.

Two of Canada's Hopes for Olympic Sports



JOE WRIGHT



CYRIL COAFFEE

THESE two should wear the Maple Leaf worthily at the Olympics. At left, Joe Wright, Jr., sterling single sculler, whose achievements on the water last season were outstanding. The stalwart Argonaut youngster proved himself to be a worthy son of a gallant sire by his aquatic performances at Philadelphia, Royal Henley and Canadian Henley, and there is little doubt that he will add to his laurels the coming year, not only on this continent but in the Old Country. At right is shown a close-up of Cyril Coaffee, formerly of Winnipeg but now of the Illinois Athletic Club, Chicago, who won the Canadian championships at 100 and 220 yards at Varsity, and who won the invitation 100-yard race, one of the big feature events at the Canadian National Exhibition games. Coaffee was given 9 4-5 seconds for the hundred on both occasions and he faced a head wind both times. At Varsity two watches caught him in 9 3-5 seconds. The feature of his race at the C.N.E. games was the ease with which he defeated De Hart Hubbard, of Cincinnati, and Chester Bowman, of Newark. Hubbard was on the last United States Olympic team and Bowman is the hope of the United States in the sprints for the next Olympic. Coaffee came from behind at sixty yards and beat them three yards going away.

Rogers Hornsby, in Story for Colonist Gives Inside Facts

Declares Trade to Braves Was Not Made on Account of Gambling Debts—Regrets Leaving New York Giants to Boston

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ST. LOUIS, Jan. 11.—"From the time I was asked to come to New York in December, a year ago, and sign a two-year contract with the New York club, my relations with that club have been of the best. Mr. McGraw, whom I regard as the greatest manager in baseball, has treated me with the utmost consideration. When he took sick and could not accompany the team on its last swing through the West last year, he called all the players together and told them he was putting the club in my charge, that he had great confidence in me and he wanted me treated with the same respect they would accord to him.

"That I was treated with respect and received the co-operation of the team is best shown by the fact that we returned to New York with a good record and a fighting chance for the pennant. There never was any friction between me and the players or between me and the management. I am sure that Mr. McGraw still retains the same high regard for me personally and as a ball player that I have for him as a manager. This trade was not made because of any violations on my part of either the letter or the spirit of my contract with the New York club and I don't think it was because of my lawsuit with Mr. Moore.

DOES NOT OWE MONEY

"I won that lawsuit because I did not owe Mr. Moore the money. My attorney, Mr. Fahey, told the jury at the time that if they thought I owed the money to Mr. Moore, whether for gambling or otherwise, they should bring in a verdict in his favor. I told the jury the truth and they believed me. They brought in a verdict in my favor. I last saw Mr. McGraw at the world's series, and we parted the best of friends. My whole thought up to the time of receiving the news of having been traded was towards assisting him in every way, both through my efforts on the field and in any other capacity that he might delegate to me to win the pennant in 1928.

"Naturally, one does not like to leave a pennant contender to play on a team that has been near the bottom of the race for a number of years, but a baseball player has to go where he is told. In thinking it over, I remember the many years which I played on the Cardinals team when they were down in the race, and gave them my best and it may be that such ability and efforts as I may be able to bring to the Boston club will in time help them improve their position.

"I have always liked and admired President Fuchs, of the Boston club, and will give him and his new manager, Mr. Slattery, as well as the Boston fans, the best I have.

LEAVES WITH REGRET

"I naturally leave the New York club with regret, but having become a little hardened by what happened after managing and helping the Cardinals win a pennant in 1926, after ten years of service in St. Louis, I am getting used to it. I wish the New York club all the luck in the world, but frankly, I don't know why the deal was made."

(Signed) ROGERS HORNSBY.

BAYS STILL TO TASTE DEFEAT

Departmentals Score Easy Victory Over V.M.D. in City League Match—Maple Leafs Chalp Up Win

THREE MATCHES CARDED TONIGHT

Hudson's Bay men's "C" Division hoopsters retained their unbroken string of victories in the City Basketball League last night, when they defeated V.M.D. 44-19, at the Centennial gymnasium. Foresters took their scheduled game with the Navy by default, while the Maple Leafs downed the Redwings ladies' quintette, 20-10, in an exhibition game. Only a few spectators braved the weather to witness the games.

Netting twenty-two points in each half, during which they outclassed their opponents, Hudson's Bay quintette had a good workout against the Victoria Machinery five. At the arrival of the halfway mark the winners held a nine-point advantage, but in the second half their opponents annexed only six points, while the Bays duplicated their score of the first half.

Watson, Patterson and Addie shot with deadly precision for the Bays, and this trio accounted for forty points. Sweatman, of the losers, led the V.M.D. sharpshooters with ten points.

"Scotty" Dowds refereed, and the teams were:

Hudson's Bay—Addie (11), Patterson (16), Watson (13), Tripp, Brown (2), and Mowry (2).

V.M.D. — Caddell (4), Massick, Sweatman (8), Bomkinni (2), Viggers (4), Grant (1), and Wragg.

MAPLE LEAFS WIN

Nine points by K. White, clever forward of the Maple Leafs, paved the way for a 20-10 victory over the Redwings ladies' team in an exhibition game. The winners, always in the front, were the stronger aggregation, and registered a well-deserved victory.

Massick refereed, and the teams were:

Maple Leafs—L. Spershott (2), K. White (9), B. Brooker (2), K. Freestone (1), G. Butler, and D. Ruffles (6).

Redwings—M. McCrae (4), D. Kendle (2), K. Hill (4), I. Vickers, and T. McCrae.

TONIGHT'S GAMES

Three games will be played at the Centennial gymnasium tonight as follows:

7:30 p.m.—Garrison vs. Gyros.
Redbirds vs. Axioms.
V.M.D. vs. C.P.S.

Kelowna Loop Team Loses to Adanacs

NEW WESTMINSTER, Jan. 11.—Kelowna's fast-stepping aggregation of basketers dropped the final game of their Coast tour to Adanacs here tonight by a 23-17 count, after one of the best played games of the season.

Slightly superior in combination and ability to find the hoop oftener at close range, the home team had just enough edge to secure the verdict.

RADIOMEN TAKE ODD GAME FROM EAGLES' FIVE

Western Canada Radio maple-smashers took the odd game from the Eagles in a Commercial League match rolled on the Arcade Alleys last night. The birdmen annexed honors in the second game, when they toppled 789 to their opponents' 787.

Porter, of the radiomen, carried off high aggregate honors with 524 pins, while J. Rowe, of the Eagles, was high individual scorer, with 180.

Scores follow:

EAGLES				
J. Rowe	141	180	146—	467
W. Richardson	109	140	127—	376
Low Score	98			98
G. Lapp		143	129—	292
O. Corbett	132	168	142—	442
D. Neil	141	150	135—	414
	621	769	679—	2089
WESTERN CANADA RADIO				
V. Irwin	137	179	138—	453
J. Johnson	98	141	129—	368
G. Wilkinson	170	122	166—	458
W. Yeamans	111	168	162—	441
A. Porter	178	177	169—	524
	694	787	764—	2244

Old Country Rugby

LONDON, Jan. 11.—Rugby Union results:

Bristol 11, Navy 5.
Bridgend 14, Cardiff 9.

RUGBY LEAGUE

Huddersfield 39, Castleford 5.

Throws Club Head on Mashie Shot



By SOL METZGER

Charlie Guest, a great iron-playing pro of the Pacific Coast, sketched above as his mashie stroke is finished, is a master with this club. What Guest has done on the downswing causes this follow through on line that I have pictured above. Nothing one can do after contact will affect the flight of a ball. Still, as you note Guest going out after the ball instead of bringing the club up and over his left shoulder, as with the wood, you can make up your mind that this finish is due to a determination on the downswing to stroke through on line after contact with the left arm. He actually throws the club-head toward the pin as he makes contact. That is the way leading pros and amateurs finish the shot. But get that point in mind as you go down for the ball.

The other point is to be sure to hit the ball before the blade touches the turf. Your divot follows contact. In other words, you meet the ball on the downswing, instead of at the bottom of the arc of your swing when you play a long mashie. The purpose is to give cut or underspin so the ball will be aided in stopping near where it falls. Full mashie shots are directed to the pin by many, or just short of it.

In tomorrow's article avoidance of topping will be dealt with.

CAPITALS TO BATTLE MONARCHS

Victoria Will Have Strongest Team of Year Out to Skirmish With League-Leading Mainland Crew

TWO NEW PLAYERS SIGN WITH LOCALS

Osmundsen and Taylor to Take Ice on Friday—Biggest Crowd of Season Expected to Be on Hand

LEAGUE STANDING

	P.	W.	D.	L.	Pts
Vancouver	4	2	1	1	5
Victoria	4	1	1	2	3

With two new sharpshooters on their forward line, Victoria Capitals will take the ice against the Vancouver Monarchs, leaders of the Mainland League, tomorrow night in the fifth game of the inter-city ice hockey series for the Wilkerson Cup. On Monday night officials of the league were notified that the Towers would most likely make the trip, but word received in the city yesterday stated that the kingly crew had decided to come over.

The addition of Walker Taylor and "Osie" Osmundsen, formerly of the Portland Rosebuds, will add to Victoria's chances of stopping the Mainland sextette here Friday night. Osmundsen was the pivot man of the Portland all-stars, when they defeated the locals here, 2-0, two weeks ago, and his flashy work created a big impression with the fans. He is head and shoulders above the rest of the players in the league scoring column of the Rose City, and was considered to be the outstanding performer of the West Side team.

Taylor is a British Columbia boy, having played with Banff and Vancouver. He plays on the right wing and, at practice last night, went like a million. Jocko Anderson rates him as one of the craftiest and neatest amateurs ever to take the local ice.

BACKS UP STATEMENT

On last Friday's performance, Victoria should win, is the opinion of the critics. After going down to defeat at the hands of the Capitals, Ex-King George went home smarting under the reverse, and proceeded to hand the Monarchs their first setback of the season. The manager of the King George outfit, before leaving, declared that the Capitals had a sweet team, which he figured good enough to humble the kingly crew. To back up the statement he proceeded to lay $25 even money.

Victoria needs a win, and if they are successful will even up the series. They have won one, drawn one and lost two so far and are trailing the Mainlanders by two points.

Coach Jocko Anderson reports his team to be in great shape and anxious for another crack at the much-touted Monarchs. In their first meeting, the breaks were decidedly against the Capital City squad, two of their best men being kayoed in the first two minutes and Burnett out of the game with an injured knee.

Last Sunday's game in Portland was broadcast by radio and many Victorians listened in. According to those listening in, the general trend of the play as brought home by the radio favored the locals.

STANYAR! THAT'S HIS NAME

One amusing incident came over when the announcer was telling of the goal which put Victoria in front. He said "A Victoria man has the puck, I don't know his name, but he is the big fellow I told you about before. He is at centre. He goes in, beats the defence and scores. Just a minute folks, I'll look up his name. Let's see, number six, Stanyar, that's his name."

Here are a couple of paragraphs clipped from a column story which appeared in The Portland Oregonian Monday:

"While more than 3,000 rabid hockey fans looked on in pop-eyed amazement the West Side club of the Oregon Amateur Ice Hockey League defeated an all-star aggregation from Victoria, last night by shoving in the deciding goal in the last two seconds of play. The final count of the game, which furnished enough thrills to keep the spectators in the ice palace at fever heat, was 3 to 2.

"The speed and marksmanship of the visitors from the north were much better than the West Siders had anticipated and the home team was forced to the limit to stave off defeat. A pretty combination play with Denny Edge and George Mason working the rubber in behind the Victoria defence produced the goal that clinched the game. There was just two seconds left when Edge passed to Mason and the latter beat Goalie Straith with the winning shot."

EXPECT CAPACITY HOUSE

The pupils of two of the city public schools will be guests of the league. From present indications it looks as if the ring will hold the largest crowd in the history of amateur hockey. Great interest has been aroused over the splendid performance here last Friday and officials look for a capacity house.



FRED SHAIL

Fleet centre man of the Victoria Capitals, who is showing up better at every appearance. Shail's work during the last two games has been above reproach, and he is gaining a big crowd of followers. He will work at centre Friday against Vancouver Monarchs.

Millers Whitewash Duluth Hornets

MINNEAPOLIS, Jan. 11.—Two goals in the final session brought victory to the Minneapolis Millers, of the American Hockey Association, here tonight. After a hard-fought tussle the Millers emerged with a 2-0 win over the Duluth Hornets.

England Defeats Wales, 20-12, in International Rugby Match

LONDON, Jan. 11.—England defeated Wales, 20-12, in the annual International Rugby League match. The game was played at Wigan in ideal weather and in the presence of 12,000 people. The opening exchanges were even, and then Sullivan opened the scoring by kicking a penalty goal for Wales. England reacted and Eliaby scored a try, which could not be converted. Davies followed with a try for Wales and Sullivan converted. After several strong English attacks, Oliver crossed the Welsh line. The try was not converted. Wales increased their lead with another try, which Sullivan converted. The English team then ran away with the game.

RUGBY TITLE TO BE AT STAKE

16th Canadian Scottish Will Battle United Services in Crucial Game on Saturday at Willows

PIRATES TO MEET J.B.A.A. FIFTEEN

With the championship of the first series of the schedule of the Victoria Rugoy Union at stake, United Services and 16th Canadian Scottish, will clash at the Willows Oval on Saturday. The other match will bring together the J.B.A.A. and the Pirates. Both games will start at 3 p.m.

The Scottish-Services battle will be the feature game, and will undoubtedly draw a large following. In the last meeting the militiamen came through with a 5-0 victory to hand the Services their only defeat of the season. The J.B.A.A. proved the only club capable of lowering the colors of the 16th Canadian Scottish, and a tie for first berth between the Militiamen and United Services fifteens has resulted. The winner of Saturday's battle will gain the honor of meeting the winners of the second half of the schedule for the Barnard Cup, emblematic of the city championship.

The fruits of victory will be the only thing at stake in the Pirates-J.B.A.A. struggle, but at that, an interesting game is expected.

WINNIPEG, Jan. 11.—The fast tactics of St. Paul, with brilliant combination and rushing attacks, proved too much for the Winnipeg Maroons tonight. The Saints piled up an 8-4 victory in the American Hockey Association match, though at times they were forced hard by the locals.

Two More Schools Will Be Guests At Ice Hockey Match

PUPILS of the South Park and Margaret Jenkins Schools will be the guests of the Victoria Amateur Ice Hockey Club tomorrow night, when the Capitals battle the Vancouver Monarchs in the fifth intercity game of the Wilkerson Cup series. To date about 3,000 pupils of the public schools of the city have been guests of the club, and from the amount of enthusiasm shown by the children, it looks as if the invitation move has been a successful one. Mr. Robert McInnes, principal of the Oaklands School, has been in attendance throughout.

Grads Expected to Have Easy Victory At Olympic Sports

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—The Toronto University Graduates, Canadian Olympic hockey team, is virtually assured of an easy victory in the coming Olympic games, as the result of the indication at yesterday's meeting of the United States Olympic Committee and Olympic Association that the United States will have no hockey team in the Winter sports as has been the custom in the past. Entries from all countries must be received at Olympic headquarters in Europe on January 20. Yesterday was about the last opportunity the American Olympic Committee had to provide hockey and skiing entries.

VICTORIA FAVORED FOR P. N. A GALA

American Teams Wish Swimming Gala to Be Staged at Crystal Garden—Under Consideration

The probability of staging the Pacific Northwest Association swimming gala at the Crystal Garden in the early Spring is under consideration by officials of the Victoria Amateur Swimming Club. Negotiations are under way with Portland and Seattle, and final word is expected shortly. The American stars are anxious to make the trip, and are almost emphatic in their request that the gala be held here on account of the splendid facilities.

The matter will be discussed further by the Victoria Amateur Swimming Club at the annual meeting to be held on February 7 at 8 p.m. in the Campbell Building.

Jock McNeil, who for a number of years was president of the club, tendered his resignation, which was regretfully accepted.

Club nights at the Crystal Garden will be Tuesday and Friday from now on, the club announced.

FIRST ROUND OF RUGBY CUP DRAW IS ANNOUNCED

LONDON, Jan. 11.—The draw for the first round of the Rugby League Cup was made today and announced as follows:

Rochdale-Leigh.
Barrow-York.
St. Helen's Recs.-Wakefield.
Wigan-Huddersfield.
Halifax-Hunslet.
Batley-Cottingham.
Kingsley-Warrington.
Salford-Castleford.
Featherstone-Keighley.
Oldham-St. Helens.
Whitehaven-Swinton.
Dewsbury-Broughton.
Bramley-Hull.
Hull Kingston-Widnes.
Bradford-Twelve Apostles.
Wigan Highfield-Leeds.

The games will be played on the grounds of the first-named clubs on February 21.

To Pitch First Game As a Minor Player



WALTER JOHNSON

NEWARK, N.J., Jan. 11.—Walter Johnson, the new manager for the Newark International League Club, holds the unusual feat of never having pitched in a minor league contest. The "big train" had signed a contract with Tacoma, but did not report to that club, jumping right into the big time with the Washington Senators, where he served for twenty years. Now that Johnson is with Newark, he intends to hurl the first game for the Bears in the next campaign.

3,500 FANS SEE KITCHENER DOWN CATARACTS, 3-2

NIAGARA FALLS, Ont., Jan. 11.—Kitchener Millionaires again took the Canadian Professional League leadership here tonight when they bagged a 3-2 win from Mickey Roach's Cataracts. A crowd of 3,500 fans, a record for the season to date, saw the game.

"Amby" Moran Traded

MOOSE JAW, Jan. 11.—Ambrose "Amby" Moran, defence man and captain of the Moose Jaw Maroons of the Prairie Hockey League, was today traded to the Chicago Black Hawks for Teddy Graham. Moran will report at Chicago on January 16. No cash was involved in the deal.

Uzcudun to Meet George Godfrey On February 22

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 11.—The signing of Paolino Uzcudun, the Basque woodchopper, and George Godfrey, negro heavyweight, in a ten-round decision bout here on February 22, was announced tonight by Jack Doyle, boxing promoter. Godfrey, the black shadow, whose last fourteen fights have been won by knockouts of less than four rounds each, already is on his way to Los Angeles, Doyle said. Uzcudun has two fights programmed before his Los Angeles appearance.

L.I.F.A. AWARDS GAME TO WESTS

Soccer Match, Which Terminated in Near Riot, Given to Greenshirts —Victoria City Meet Tonight

Victoria West soccer club was awarded the game of Saturday, December 18, against Victoria City, in which a near riot occurred, at a meeting of the Lower Island Football Association, held last night. It is not known whether Victoria City will appeal the decision to the British Columbia Football Association.

Victoria City Football Club will hold a meeting at the Veterans of France clubrooms tonight, at 7.30 o'clock, to discuss the future policy of the club. All players or anyone interested are asked to attend.

Three Teams Tied In Okanagan Loop

VERNON, Jan. 11.—When Vernon won from Enderby last night in overtime play, and Lumby defeated Armstrong, The Okanagan Valley Hockey League race became a three-cornered tie, Vernon, Enderby and Lumby each winning two games and losing one, with Armstrong having lost three. At the end of the first period Vernon led 4-2, at the end of the second Enderby led 5-4, and at the end of the third the score was 6-6 and with about a minute of the final five minutes of overtime to go, Vernon scored the winning counter, the honor being won by C. Christian. The Enderby tallies were all scored as a result of individual effort, Slick Langstaff and Nibby Broome combining twice for neat counters for Vernon. At Armstrong the Lumby team gathered in a 4-2 victory.

Yellowlees Wins First Round of B. C. Billiards

VANCOUVER, B.C., Jan. 11.—In the first round of the provincial amateur billiards tournament, opened here tonight, Jimmy Yellowlees and A. Lineham were the participants. Yellowlees completed the block of 300 while Lineham was collecting 421 points. Yellowlees' average was six and his high break forty-two. Lineham's best break was thirty-eight.

Jenkins and Hodgson play Thursday night in the second match.

Schaefer Has Good Lead Over Cochran

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—Jake Schaefer was leading Walker Cochran by nearly 300 points at the conclusion of the sixth block of their 3,600 point 18.2 balkline match tonight. The score was: Schaefer 1,800; Cochran 1,517.

Schaefer took the afternoon block 300 to 238 in fifteen innings, but bowed to Cochran in tonight's session 478 to 400 in sixteen innings. Schaefer's high run this afternoon was ninety-seven against sixty for Cochran. The latter ran eighty-two for his best effort tonight. Schaefer's high run was seventy-six.

HIRED!

A recent college graduate applied in the local butcher shop for a job. The butcher looked him over carefully and then said: "We need an energetic young man to run the slicing machine. Have you ever had any experience?"

"I used to play golf."

Hot Stove League Heaps Fresh Coals On Hornsby Debate

Explanation of Trade of Highest-Salaried National League Player to Weak Boston Team Does Not Satisfy Fans

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—Instead of satisfying a startled baseball public with the explanation that Rogers Hornsby was traded to the Boston Braves "to avoid any future conflict in the management of the club and for no other reason," the New York Giants today apparently heaped only fresh coals on the fires of debate. The brief statement issued by Charles A. Stoneham, president of the Giants, not only was taken with several grains of salt by the assembled experts, but drew from Hornsby a sharp reply in which the famous second baseman disclaimed any controversy with Manager John McGraw, and denied any attempt last season to undermine the authority of the "little Napoleon."

While innocent bystanders still were a trifle groggy from the shock of the deal, which sends the league's highest salaried star to a seventh place club in exchange for two little known players, catcher Frank Hogan and outfielder Jimmy Welsh, the experts probed behind the scenes for the "real reason" prompting what seemed, on the surface, like the most one-sided transaction in recent years.

Most of the observers took one of the two views—either that some mysterious circumstance caused the sudden trade or that it was merely the forerunner of another big switch in player talent by the Giants. The latter view is strengthened by the existence of a gaping infield hole left by Hornsby for which the club now has only rookie talent to fill.

ELATED WITH TRADE

BOSTON, Jan. 11.—Judge Emil Fuchs, president of the Boston Braves, said last night he was "elated with the trade," which will bring Rogers Hornsby, of the New York Giants, to Boston.

"The personal friendship between Hornsby and myself has been one of warm friendship for years," he said, "and I promise the Boston public that he will give us everything he has, to bring the Braves toward the top."

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—Rogers Hornsby was traded to the Boston Braves "in order to avoid any future conflict in the management of the club, and for no other reason," Charles A. Stoneham, president of the New York Giants said today, in explaining the sensational baseball deal, announced last night, by which the Giants sent Hornsby to the Braves for catcher Hogan and outfielder Welsh.

"Supplementing the statement made by this club last evening regarding the Hornsby and Hogan-Welsh transaction, I wish to say that the deal was made in order to avoid any future conflict in the management of the club, and for no other reason. Statements have been made throughout the country that Mr. Hornsby would be the future manager of the Giants. I have never been consulted regarding this, and have had no conference about the selection of a manager, as Mr. McGraw still retains the management of the New York Giants. The club believes that in this deal it has been strengthened behind the bat and in the outfield. These additional players, added to our present roster, indicate to us that we will be among the foremost contenders for the coming National League pennant.

"We feel that we have done what is for the best, looking toward the future welfare of the organization, and I trust that the loyal fans and supporters will bear with the club until such time as the results of the trade are definitely decided on the playing field."

NO CONTROVERSY

ST. LOUIS, Mo., Jan. 11.—Answering the statement of Charles A. Stoneham, president of the New York Giants, Rogers Hornsby said today there never had been a word of controversy between himself and Manager John J. McGraw, and he had never contemplated getting the management of the Giants.

SANTA ON JOB

BOSTON, Jan. 11.—The baseball world is inclined to the belief there is a Santa Claus.

While various explanations and rumors concerning the origin of the deal which brings Rogers Hornsby to the Hub, to captain the Braves, still eddied about in the wake of sensational announcement last night, Boston fandom and officialdom seems content to let the New York Giants' explanation of the deal stand for itself.

Officially, from Braves' headquarters, Boston "has been after Hornsby for some time, and gave up two promising as well as youthful players, both of whom are wanted by the Giants to further that end."

Belanger to Meet Frankie Genaro in N.B.A. Title Bout

NEW LONDON, Conn., Jan. 11.—Frenchy Belanger, of Toronto, will defend his National Boxing Association flyweight title against Frankie Genaro, of New York, at Toronto, in either January 23 or February 3, Thomas E. Donohue, of New London, president of the N.B.A., announced today.

Tigers Outclass London Panthers

LONDON, Ont., Jan. 11.—Panthers completely failed in their attempted comeback against Hamilton Tigers, in a one-sided Canadian Pro fixture here tonight, the Tigers winning 6-1.

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Matched for Bout With Sid Terris



JIMMY McLARNIN

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—Jimmy McLarnin, Vancouver, and Sid Terris, New York, leading lightweight title contenders, today were matched for a ten-round bout at Madison Square Garden, February 24. The winner is expected to fight Sammy Mandell, of Rockford, the champion.

SHARKEY IS FAVORED TO BEAT HEENEY

Odds Are Nine to Five That Boston Gob Will Defeat Australian Heavy Tomorrow Night

"AUZZIE" MAY GET BOUT IN LONDON

Tex Rickard Declares Backing Will Be Forthcoming if Irishman Wins Over Loquacious Opponent

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—Cloaked in silence and with or without a tender left "maulie," Jack Sharkey will descend on the doctors of the New York State Athletic Commission at 11 a.m. tomorrow to demonstrate his physical fitness for a battle with Tom Heeney, bulgy muscled New Zealander, in Madison Square Garden Friday night. Sharkey's silence likewise took in the condition of his left hand in which the boxing solons are extremely interested.

Jack's bout with Heeney, originally scheduled for early December, was postponed when Sharkey fractured a finger during a workout. The Boston battler has not fought since Dempsey's fists sent him to a Boston hospital for a few days suffering internal hemorrhage.

SHARKEY FAVORITE

Odds as high as 9-5 were offered, however, that Sharkey would whip the thumping Irishman, who boasts the championship of New Zealand, South Africa, Australia and Ireland, in addition to American victories over Johnny Risko, the Cleveland baker boy; Bud Gorman and Jimmy Maloney.

The possibility of a fight with Gene Tunney in London for the heavyweight championship dangled today before Tom Heeney, burley hope of the British Empire, in Tex Rickard's never-ending hunt for title material.

Heeney, who left his plumbing tools "down under" in New Zealand to fight his way into a bout with Jack Sharkey, would like nothing better than the match now drifting about in the back of the promoter's mind. First, of course, he must dispose of the loquacious Jack Sharkey, Boston gob, in a twelve-round match in Madison Square Garden Friday night. Betting odds are 9 to 5 that he won't, but none have been made within Tom's hearing.

"Blimey," said Heeney, in a Cockney accent, as he perched on the edge of a rubbing table, training grind over, and stroked his square, bristley chin at the prospect. "Now I'll 'ave ter whip Sharkey for a fact."

"Ginger Goodness," said his manager, Charley Harvey, as he bustled busily about the gladiator, "better box three more right rounds, Tommy boy, so as to be sure you've done everything possible."

MAY FIGHT IN LONDON

The blue-eyed, curly-headed giant appeared today to have more than a possibility of facing a "home" crowd sometime next Summer in the Wembley Stadium just outside of London, and the hope came straight from Tex Rickard.

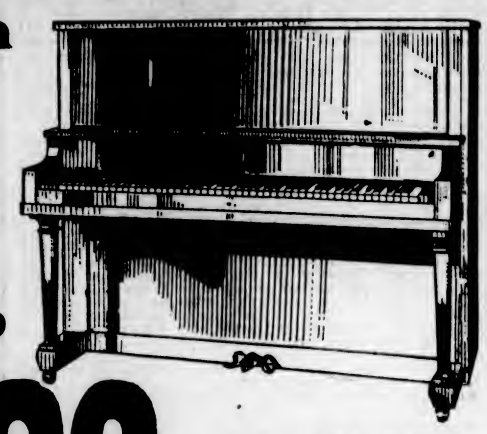
"All England needs to gain such a match is courage and a willingness to co-operate," Tex said. With him was Bernard Mortimer, London fight promoter, who assured Rickard that the site was available, the Olympic season propitious, and that financial backing would be forthcoming as soon as he returned to Great Britain.

There was also an indication that Heeney need only make a stirring showing against Sharkey to arouse consideration of a match abroad with Jack Dempsey, who toured Europe in triumphant fashion several years ago. Mortimer, who unveiled Joe Beckett, believes that Dempsey, even without the title, would draw as well in England as Tunney.

Heeney, twenty-eight years old, stretched out on his rubbing table—a stubby-armed but brawny chunk of bone and muscle, 198 pounds in heft. Fighting, he said, came down to him through his dad, another huge fellow, who still acts as engineer in a brewery in Osborne, N.Z., where Tom and four husky brothers "grew up battling."

The chief worry of the father, Tom said, was to keep the energetic brood in football, cricket outfits and boxing gloves, while Mrs. Heeney had a busy time preparing food in quantity sufficient to stuff them. Satisfying enormous appetites gained in those days, is still one of his pleasant pastimes, Tom declared.

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BRAMSTAR WINS FEATURE EVENT

Odds on Favorite Easily Best in Sun Harbor Handicap—Place Horses Return Good Prices

(Special to The Colonist)

TIJUANA RACE TRACK, Jan. 11.—Bramstar, an odds-on favorite, won the Sun Harbor Handicap, the feature race of today's card. Jockey H. Philpot gave his mount a good ride and won going away. Although winning prices were usually good, those who connected with some of the place horses were returned large odds for their money. Galloping Joe, who came home second in the third, paid $50.80, while Harbinger and Realist rewarded double figures. Results follow:

First race—Two-year-olds, two furlongs:

1. Frank K. (Russell)	$16.60	$ 7.80	$ 4.80
2. Cottage Grove (Nieveras)		4.00	3.20
3. Amarion (Burke)			2.80

Time, :24

Second race—Five and one-half furlongs:

1. Cellini (Duplessis)	$ 7.20	$ 3.40	$ 3.00
2. Philomela (Francis)		3.80	3.00
3. Sierra Shot (Munden)			4.80

Time, 1:08 4-5.

Third race—One mile and one-sixteenth:

1. Ojo (Rennie)	$36.80	$15.20	$ 7.40
2. Galloping Joe (Richardson)		50.80	8.60
3. Cloud Accelerator (Yates)			6.80

Time, 1:49 4-5.

Fourth race—One mile:

1. War Bells (Inselone)	$17.00	$ 7.00	$ 5.60
2. Isaman (Luther)		6.00	4.00
3. Rawday (Salas)			7.60

Time, 1:42

Fifth race—Sun Harbor Handicap, $1,000, six furlongs:

1. Bramstar (H. Philpot)	$ 3.60	$ 2.80	$ 2.20
2. Proctor Hue (Stavens)		3.20	2.80
3. Alexander Pantages (Elston)			2.80

Time, 1:13 1-5.

Sixth race—Mission Beach Claiming Handicap, $900; one mile and seventy yards:

1. Brazen (Rennie)	$ 9.20	$ 4.80	$ 3.20
2. Realist (Kelly)		17.00	11.00
3. Marietta (Louman)			6.20

Time, 1:45 2-5.

Seventh race—Five furlongs:

1. Old Kickapoo (Duplessis)	$ 5.60	$ 5.00	$ 4.60
2. Waimanu (Yates)		9.20	6.80
3. Farrona Beth (Snider)			6.40

Time, 1:01.

Eighth race—Six furlongs:

1. Knighthood (Russell)	$ 5.00	$ 4.80	$ 4.00
2. Harbinger (Cress)		34.80	13.40
3. John A. Scott Jr. (Robertson)			6.40

Time, 1:13 4-5.

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

First race—Six furlongs:

Jack Sharper	101
Shasta Butte	98
Old Broadway	105
Cloporte	104
Fairy's Beau	105
Pennon	101
Towton's Gem	103
Christina	108
Confluent	111
Olive Bun	96
Miss Wyoming	96
Slippery Smile	101
Harrigan's Heir	105
Quintana Roo	101
Buddy Clark	100
Comlescope	103
Brother John	111
Skootin	98

Second race—One mile and seventy yards:

Ben Kripp	103
Zinc	107
Polar Brush	103
Metal	114
Yokohama Girl	112
Matilda B	99
Full o' Fun	103
Hasty Miss	107
Shafa	103
Mamnikan 33	106
Klickitat Bum	114
Zunca	106
Daytima	103
Plain Rock	107
Fair Trial	116
Montdale	103
Jay Mac	103
Vennie Sue	99

Third race—Five furlongs:

Dutch White	101
Philomela	99
Louie Wright	104
Kipikai	104
Lillie Stout	99
Pelaika	106
Lord Assaral	109
Mazie O.	99
Sweep Easy	102
Some Fashion	99
Star Cask	98

Fifth race—One mile and seventy yards:

Strife	106
Starlass	111
Irvington	110
My Daddy	104
Brownie Smile	106
Shasta Donna	104
Bryndear	108
Tommie McCoomb	110
Scotsman	102
Shasta Grafton	106
Belle K	108
Be Frank	110
President	110
Coeur de Lion	104
Wilmer the Wizard	110
Aircastle	110

Sixth race—Six furlongs:

Conquistador	105
Miss Drapeau	94
Kinsman	99
Crystal Pennant	109
American Son	93
Rip Rap	113
Paavo	99
Pat	112
Jack Alexander	98
Sanabar	97
King Rama	91
Bonnie Omar	110
Mat Hunter	90
Shasta Gold	105
Tamarino	104
Forecaster	102
Catankerous	101

Seventh race—Six furlongs:

Rex Roma	104
Quince Garden	101
San Carlos	111
In the Eye	104
Golden Sweep	110
Simony	113
Cobra	106
Pax Choice	104
Prattle	104
Sweeping Ann	104
Almaren	102

Eighth race—Six furlongs:

Topay S	105
Major Mallon	102
Blue Rose	105
Glint o' Gold	106
Piute	105
Master Rock	112
Wind Flower	105
Chicory	105
Frank Light	107
Red Ace	103
Shasta Rabbi	112
Sweesie	103
Swift Shot	103
Try Me	103

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"So This Is Marriage"

By JUDITH WEST

CHAPTER LVIII.

"The counsel for the complainant," said the judge, "is asking me to dissolve a marriage that, according to evidence submitted, has existed as a marriage only within the narrow construction of the law."

The room was so quiet, the interest of the crowd so intent, that a pin, dropped to the floor, would have produced the effect of an explosion.

Somehow, as I watched those eager faces, I had the feeling that those people had not come so much for the opportunity of snooping through the private chamber of another's life as through a desperate desire to have thir own lives interpreted for them.

With one elbow propped upright on the desk, Judge Berkit rested his chin on his hand. There was a look in his eyes of one who thinks much, of one who looks in, not out, for the answers to human riddles.

"Fifty-fifty."

Vera squirmed in her chair; her lawyer took up a pencil and tapped absently on the blotter in front of him.

"The complainant," continued the court, "has testified that she has worked ever since her marriage; that she has been a fifty-fifty wife. In other words, for five years the complainant has tricked herself with a meaningless, empty catch phrase."

He leaned over the desk and his straight, fearless old eyes gathered all of us out there in the radius of their glance.

"You can't budget marriage; you can't figure it out on a percentage basis," he shouted. Then, more calmly, "Fifty-fifty. What has fifty-fifty to do with faith? With loyalty? With understanding? That's what marriage is: a union of two personalities who desire, with all the strength of their beings, to give their utmost in faith, in loyalty, in understanding."

"Maybe you think that a ceremony makes a marriage. Not a bit of it! A ceremony merely legalizes the physical relationship of marriage, establishes, the status and rights of the parties to that relationship."

Now the judge was looking down at Vera. But he talked to her as a very patient father would talk to a wilful daughter.

"What's wrong, what's been wrong with this marriage from the very beginning? Fifty-fifty. Now I have no quarrel with you working wives. If you think you'll be happier in an office than in a home, that's your affair. I'm not one of those old-fashioned fellows who would like to pour all women into one mould."

He smiled, and his audience, glad to relieve the intensity of the moment, smiled too. White haired—ideas could still get through the fissures of that active brain.

In the next instant, however, he was the stern judge pronouncing judgment. And his eyes were on Vera.

"But I do quarrel with you working wives when you confuse your marriage with your jobs, when you apply the standards of the job-hunter to marriage. In your jobs you give only what you're paid to give. So much for so much—that's the job-holder's motto. Poor pay, poor work. Good pay, good work.

"But marriage is not a job!" he thundered and his eyes blazed hotly. "Marriage is a spiritual relationship. Fail your employer on your job and he lets you out; at best, you cheat his purse.

"But fail your married partner, fail to stand by in times of distress, fail to give sympathy, fail to give the support of an unconquerable loyalty, and you cheat a human soul. A divorce may discharge you from your obligation, but that soul will still carry the scars of your failure."

All at once, it seemed to me that that white-haired judge was talking to me, not to Vera. Indeed, I could have sworn that his gaze, roving over the room, rested accusingly on me. It wasn't Vera's trial; it was my trial. He was telling me, that stern judge up there, that I had failed as a wife, that I had cheated a human soul—and that the soul of the man I loved . .

The judge's voice recalled me.

"But it is the court's finding that this divorce decree be granted."

How straight Vera sat up at that! And with what a smirk "Babe" heard the decision. Vera's lawyer leaned back in his chair and caught his thumbs in his vest pocket. A triumph of disillusioned wifehood!

"The court grants the decree on one condition."

How intent the injured wife is now!

"As I have said, I am not an old-fashioned judge. I recognize the right of the modern woman to earn her own living, to take her place beside man in the competition of business. For that reason it seems to me the complainant should be permitted to carry out her principles to their logical conclusion. She has testified that it is her conviction that marriage should be a fifty-fifty arrangement.

"Now the defendant is a sick man, a very sick man, I should say. He is sick physically, mentally and spiritually. It is only right and proper that the complainant be permitted to help in his rehabilitation. If the tables were turned I should insist that he care for her. And this is a fifty-fifty marriage."

How the pencils of those reporters flew!

"The court decrees that, for the period of one year, the complainant shall pay to Fred Roach the sum of $75 a month or that a like amount shall be applied to hospital or similar fees."

The judge started to rise from his bench. He looked very, very tired and old.

Fred's attorney stood up.

"Your honor, how about attorney's fees?" asked the small dark man.

"Haven't you been paid yet?" asked the judge.

"Not a cent, your honor. My client is without funds. He is a friend of mine and so I agreed to take the case without compensation, if necessary."

"Include 'costs' in that decree," said the judge to the clerk as he left the room. And Vera screamed.

I hurried out of the room, that scream still ringing in my ears. There was no wish in me to gloat. Vera had her divorce, but I knew that the judge's order to pay her husband alimony for the period of one year was the most cruel blow he could have given to her pride. Vera had been punished.

But why should I gloat? Was I any better than Vera? Had I not also failed? Had I not brought the philosophy of the job-holder to my marriage? Had I ever tried to interpret my relationship to Jim in any other terms than that of the employer and employee.

No work for me that day. I boarded the first street car that came by. It let me off at the park.

For hours I wandered there like a crazy person. I couldn't keep still. I could not step on the treadmill of my conscience.

Jim's face came before me and accused me, his face as I had seen it that night at Gamboni's. Vera had made a drunkard of Fred; what was I doing to Jim? Flirting cheaply with Craig—making the man I loved, jealous and bitter!

The lights came on in the park. Home-going cars were muddled in a traffic jam . . . Dusk. What shall I do? Where shall I go?

Dusk. It has always had a peculiarly quieting effect upon me, that hour between daylight and dark. It did now. Gradually my head ceased to whirl, my way became clear.

There was but one path for me—the path of honesty. I had failed Jim; I had not stood by in times of distress. In marriage I had been brought face to face, for the first time in my life, with my own inadequacy. And because I was a dull, blind thing the moment I was taken out of the routine of my job, I had wrecked Jim's faith in me, in himself.

But now I must be honest. Honest with myself, the hardest thing in the world.

I would go home, pack a bag, hide away for a few days at the house. Get away from the crowd—Jane would understand.

I must think things through. I must pull myself together. Little Jim's mother must not be a cheat.

(To be continued)

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"Men of Daring" Shows Today on Columbia Screen

"Men of Daring," a thrilling Western picture play with an all-star cast, shows today at the Columbia Theatre.

The story tells of the adventures of "Jack," "Ace" and "King," "Three Musketeers of the West," whose pranks and good deeds are continually getting them into trouble. They are three rollicking dare-devils whose feats are the talk of a country where deeds of reckless daring are common. The picture features the Overland Trail of the early '70's when hardy pioneers endured terrible hardships and battled with bandits and Indians while carving out a new country.

Pair of Spectacles To Be Presented At Crystal Garden



MR. LEGGE-WILLIS

On Friday evening the Co-optimist Comedy Company will present a revival of one of the most delightfully funny stage comedies ever written. It is no less than the ever-popular "A Pair of Spectacles,' which was John Hares most notable success. It is, of course, as much of a classic in its way as "Charlie's Aunt," or "The Private Secretary." Mr. Legge-Willis in the part of Benjamin Goldfinch; Mr. Richard Blomfield in the character of his close-fisted brother from Sheffield; Mrs. Legge-Willis as his wife; Mr. Noel Jones as his son, and Mr. Derek Browne as his nephew—all are eminently qualified to do ample justice to this great classic of the comedy stage. Friend Lorimer will be played by Mr. Evelyn Mitchell, and the important part of his daughter will be enacted by Miss Margaret Hopkins. The final member of the augmented cast for this special occasion is Mr. Stephen Langton, who makes his first appearance this week as a member of the Co-optimist company.

Known throughout the world as one of the greatest stage successes of all time, this play at the Crystal Garden Friday evening is certain to attract a large audience with sixty minutes of rollicking amusement. The play will be followed by two hours of dancing, in which the entire audience is invited to join.

He—"Joan, I'd go through purgatory for you?"

She—"You say so, but how can I prove that?"

He—"Be my wife."

"Bohemian Girl" to Open at Playhouse Theatre on Monday

The novel operatic production of the "Bohemian Girl," Balfe's glorious opera, which will be given here on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday at the Playhouse Theatre, by eminent principals and chorus, in person, of the National Opera Company, is one of the most entertaining ideas ever worked out. The cast includes Miss Theo Pennington, prima donna; Mercedes Dalmada, dramtic soprano; Franklin Meeker, tenor; Carl Bundschu, baritone, and Frederick Wheeler, basso, who will sing all the delightful solo and ensemble selections from the beautiful opera by Balfe. Local music lovers and picture followers may well look forward to this attraction as one of the finest events of the present season. Tickets are now on sale at the Playhouse Theatre.

Timber Wolves To Hold Reunion

The "Timber Wolves," the 103rd Regiment, C.E.F., will hold the third reunion banquet in the dining-room of the Chamber of Commerce on the evening of Saturday, February 4. The officers of the organization for the year are as follows: Major K. B. Spurgin, president; Mr. Harold Palmer, secretary-treasurer, and Messrs. J. J. Blair, R. Foster and J. Cassidy, executive committee.

At the Playhouses

AMUSEMENTS

THE SCREEN

Capitol—"The Love Mart," starring Billie Dove.
Columbia—"Men of Daring," featuring Jack Hoxie.
Dominion—Lon Chaney in "Mockery."
Variety — "Convoy," starring Dorothy Mackaill.

THE STAGE

Coliseum—Vaudeville.
Playhouse — "Suspicious Susie."
Crystal Garden — Dancing and Swimming.

COLISEUM THEATRE That Colleen Moore, vivacious little star, doesn't like to act to music is the latest note to come out of Hollywood. When she is acting before the movie camera she insists that the set be as quiet as possible. "Irene," now showing at the Coliseum Theatre, is the star's picturization of the musical comedy triumph. She is supported by a large fashion chorus. A perfect example of modern photoplay comedy construction is also on the Coliseum today, where Paramount's "Tell It to Sweeney" is being screened. This picture, a comedy of railroad life as it shouldn't be, presents a new team of farceurs, Chester Conklin and George Bancroft, who seem to be congenially cast as partners in the business of manufacturing chuckles.

CAPITOL THEATRE Lovers of swordplay, with rapier, foil or broadsword, will be entertained royally at the Capitol Theatre, where "The Love Mart," with Billie Dove, Gilbert Roland and Noah Beery, is the attraction. In addition to the big feature picture, the vaudeville attractions are excellent, and include such stellar turns as the Dubin Operatic Duo, harmony soloists de luxe, in a special programme of standard opera selections; George and Florence, a dainty team of novelty dancers, and Richard Staunton, a tenor soloist of ability in song selections. The entire vaudeville bill, topped with the Capitol Concert Orchestra, will be presented at the de luxe shows twice daily.

DOMINION THEATRE Lon Chaney's new Metro - Goldwyn - Mayer vehicle, "Mockery," is now showing at the Dominion Theatre. The new picture is a strange mystery drama laid during the Russian revolution, with Chaney as a weird, hermit-like peasant who becomes enmeshed in the revolt, reaches a position of power of life and death over an aristocrat, and figures in one of the strangest plots ever conceived by an author. The picture is elaborately staged and much of it adheres closely to actual history, with battles between the Reds and White armies and other thrilling incidents to the strange character study and thrilling mystery drama.

PLAYHOUSE THEATRE "Matinee Ladies," starring May McAvoy with Malcolm MacGregor, shows today at the Playhouse Theatre. "Matinee Ladies," according to Byron Haskins who directed the production, designates a circle of society made up of indolent, pleasure-mad women, wives of wealthy husbands, who, because of their desire for the society of attractive men, frequent cafes during the afternoon absences of their husbands, shut their eyes to impropriety and engage in flirtations with well-groomed young idlers who prey upon their hospitality.

Dorothy Mackaill Stars in "Convoy" Showing at Variety

Dorothy Mackaill, First National featured player, and Lawrence Gray have the leads in "Convoy," the current feature picture at the Variety Theatre, with an impressive supporting cast. The picture is based on a short story by John Tainter Foote, and deals with the navy's service in the World War. Dealing with the German system of espionage in the United States in 1917, the special made by Robert Kane for First National release will bid for front rank in the epics of the Great War, on the strength of some remarkable sequences of the navy's history-making role in the conflict.

"When did the robbery occur?" the cross-examining lawyer asked the witness.

"I think—" he began.

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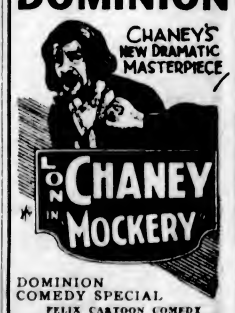
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MR. L. E. TAYLOR ADDRESSES THE ALPINE CLUB OF VICTORIA

Phenomena Noted in Biblical Times Furnishes Fascinating Topic of Modern Day

An arrestingly interesting address on "The Migration of Birds," illustrated by lantern slides which pictured the routes taken by various species, was given by Mr. L. E. Taylor for the Victoria section of the Alpine Club of Canada last evening. The meeting, held at the home of Miss Sara Spencer, Moss Street, attracted almost the entire membership, including the fifteen members recently received. In the absence of the president, Mr. A. O. Wheeler, who had been invited by Colonel Foster, president of the Vancouver section, to the dinner given there for Rt. Hon. L. C. Amery, the chair was taken by Mr. R. D. McCaw. It was also announced that Colonel Foster had asked for the postponement until March of the lecture he was to have given here on February 10 owing to a business trip which he had to make to Winnipeg.

Mr. Taylor recalled some of the references in Biblical and later times to the migration of birds, classical observers having noted the phenomenon. But efforts at scientific study of the matter had not begun until about the middle of last century. In the last fifteen or twenty years great headway had been made, in England great impetus being given the study by the formation of a special committee within the British Association. A Heligoland student had brought out a book on the subject in 1890, and on this continent scientific observations were begun in 1880 under the direction of Professor Baird, followed by the American Ornithologists' Association.

The speaker dealt with the methods of study—by means of banding of nestlings, or birds caught in traps. This was being carried on all over this continent and throughout Europe, on a large scale, and from the circulation of information by people who had noted the data on these bandings, where possible, it had been possible to learn a great deal about the distances and routes traveled by migratory birds. For instance, out of 5,800 mallards banded in three years, 1,150 had been found; and fifteen per cent of the 1,100 blue wings banded had also been traced.

STORK OBSERVED

Among the more remarkable discoveries were those concerning storks, of the movements of which the Germans and Danes had made a close study. The speaker had seen in the Kanahari Desert, Africa, storks banded in Germany, and in South Africa there had been found, at various times, sixty-five storks marked in Germany, Austria and Denmark. Interesting records of swallows had also been made, during the last few years birds ringed in England and Scotland having been found in the Transvaal and Natal. The Duke of Northumberland in 1880 had started the first scientific system of banding, and since his time banding enthusiasts had sprung up all over the country, Aberdeen University being among the number.

Mr. Taylor dealt with some of the theories concerning the cause of bird migration, but offered no definite solution. Greatly as the scientists' explanations varied, they seemed agreed that the state of the earth and the search for food supply and change of climate during the glacial period was probably responsible for what was usually conceded to be due to hereditary instinct and not a cultivated knowledge. In any event the old theory that birds hibernated in mud, swamps, ploughed fields, etc., was no longer entertained by scientific men, although there were still people to be found who entertained the idea that small birds during migration traveled on the backs of the larger birds.

Migrations, it was shown, were fairly constant, certain birds following definite lines at definite seasons. A notable instance of a very long "jump," without any point of rest between, was during the flight of the golden plover from the Arctic to South America. Between Nova Scotia and Venezuela was accomplished in a single flight; the return North in the Spring was over an entirely new route, via Central America, Mexico, the Mississippi Valley, and the Mackenzie Valley down to the Arctic. The route of all birds on the continent were now fairly well known. Of the migrant birds 101 species went down to South America to Winter; forty were found both in North and South America, and five were found all over the world.

QUESTION RAISED

Some of the theories as to how birds find their way in these long migrations were discussed; although many experiments had been made no very satisfactory explanation could be given apart from hereditary instinct. It was known that birds did not get the training from their parents, for in many cases the old birds migrated before the young were out of the nest, as in the case of the cuckoo.

Aircraft observers had been able to add much to the student's knowledge on the subject of the speed at which birds traveled, and had dissipated some of the old theories on this subject. It was now fairly well established that swallows did not fly much more than twenty miles an hour, or geese more than forty to fifty miles an hour.

The closing part of the address was devoted to the slides, showing the routes taken by different migrating birds on this continent, the white-winged duck, the cliff swallow, the bobolink, the golden plover, the snow-goose, warblers, and other varieties.

A hearty vote of thanks was moved by Mr. Claude Harrison, who intimated that the best type of mountain climber was not the man or woman who ignored the multifold interests of nature. The closing part of the meeting was occupied by Mr. Phillips, who described something of the great developments which had been carried on in the Mount Robson and Jasper Park country during the past twenty years.

Miss Spencer entertained the club accorded a rousing vote of thanks at supper after the meeting, being before the members dispersed.

Willesden Magistrate—You are the head of the family, you know.

Young Husband — Not I; my wife's mother is. I'm the tail!

U.S. MINISTER ON NEW SHIPS

Secretary of Navy Urges Congress to Vote $725,000,000 Building Programme

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—Stressing his own belief that the United States needs a first class navy, Curtiss D. Wilbur, Secretary of the Navy, placed today before the House naval committee both his personal reasons and those of the Navy General Board for asking Congress for $725,000,000 for new warship construction programme.

"In the preparation of this programme, the General Board has primarily considered the need of this Government for its naval defence," he said. "It is true that in determining this need the General Board at all times has taken into consideration the condition of other navies and their construction and replacement programme so far as they are known to us."

The secretary said that the programme proposing construction of fifteen cruisers, five aircraft carriers, nine destroyer leaders and thirty-two submarines was "in no sense competitive, but is based upon the needs of our navy as is determined by the Secretary of the Navy upon the technical advice of the General Board."

The elders of a Scottish church approached their minister with the request that he would seriously consider the question of getting married, both in his own interest and the interests of the church.

He consented on condition that they would supply him with a list of eligible and suitable ladies in the congregation. This was duly done.

Calling on the first one, he began by way of introduction:

"I have been told, Miss Blank, that it is better for the church that I should get married. Would you consider such a proposition from me?"

"Certainly not!" replied Miss Blank, ushering him out indignantly.

"Oh, thank you," said the minister. "Then I can cross your name off the list."

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A QUACK DOCTOR

By DANIEL DEFOE

(Daniel Defoe, 1661-1731, was a well-known English story writer and novelist. His most famous book is "Robinson Crusoe," and one of his best known stories is "The Apparition of Mrs. Veal.")

Passing occasionally the other day through a little village, at some distance from town, I was entertained with the view of a very handsome equipage moving toward me. The gravity of the gentleman who sat in it, and the eagerness wherewith the coachman drove along, engaged my whole attention; and I immediately concluded that it could be nothing less than some minister of state, who was posting his way upon some very important affair.

They were now got about the middle of the place, when making a full stand, the footman, deserting his station behind and taking up abreast of his master, gave us a very fine blast with a trumpet. I was surprised to see a skip transformed so speedily into a trumpeter, and began to wonder what should be the meaning of such an unusual sight; when the coachman, jumping from his box, laying by his whip, and slipping off his great coat, in an instant rose up a complete merry-andrew.

My surprise was now heightened, and though honest pickle in a world of grimace and gesticulation endeavored to move my gaiety, I began to be very fearful where the transformation might end. I looked very earnestly at the horse and then at the wheels, and expected every minute to have seen them take their turn in the farce, and laying aside their present appearances assume other shapes. By his tune the gentleman, who has hitherto appeared wonderfully sedate and composed, began to throw off his disguise, and having pocketed all his former modesty and demureness, and flushed his forehead with all the impudence of a thorough-paced quack I immediately discovered him to be a very eminent and learned mountebank.

This discovery raised my curiosity as much as it abated my surprise, so that being very desirous to hear what new proposal the doctor had to make, or what new thing in medicine he had found out, I quitted my former position and joined myself to the crowd around him. After a short introduction, he began to open the design of his trip—setting forth at length the great affection which he bore in particular to the people of that place. He expanded on his own merits and qualifications, specifying great numbers of cures which he had wrought on incurable diseases, and emphasizing the extreme danger of going without his medicine, and offering health and long life for as low a price as you please—considering the great value.

You'd have burst your sides, had you but heard the foolish things, quaint expressions, and all that, which this eloquent speaker let fall from his mouth. After such indication of his learning, though, who was there who did not believe him? Who was there who was so discourteous as not to purchase one of his packets?

Lest any of us, however, should hold our money too tightly, he tried to persuade us that there were seeds of some terrible disease lurking in each of our bodies—and that the only thing in nature which could save us was his medicine. He threatened us with death if we did not buy. The poor people, therefore, were much afraid, and thought it very easy to escape such a fate by buying, so they bought and sent the doctor adrift on his further adventures.

The scene upon which I had chanced was now ended, and I had the leisure to think about what I had observed. I could have cried or laughed heartily, either one, at what I had witnessed.

The arrogance of the quack doctor and the folly of his patients were each of them ridiculous enough to have set a more serious person than myself a-laughing. But then consider the tragic issue to which these things tended, and the fatal effect so many such medicines might have on the people, and the merriest clown alive would be sobered.

I have not often seen a more hale, robust crowd of people than that which encircled this doughty doctor, methinks one might have read health in their very faces, and there was not a countenance among them which did not give the lie to the doctor's suggestions. Could but one see a little into the future, and observe the condition they will be in a few months hence, what an alteration one might find! How many of those brawny youths will then be sick from that vile medicine? How many rosy-complexioned girls will be as pale as a ghost?

I propose in a little time to make a second journey to this place in order to see how the doctor's medicine has acted. By searching the parish register and comparing the number of funerals made weekly before the doctor's visit and afterward, it will be easy to form an estimate of the havoc which this wandering man-slayer made in the space of two hours. I shall then proceed to compute the number of quacks in the three kingdoms, from which it will be no hard matter to determine the number of people fraternity of quacks.

Lastly, I shall calculate the loss which the Government sustains by the death of every subject; from all of which the immense damages accruing will evidently appear, and the public will be fully convinced of the truth of what I have heretofore asserted—that the quacks contribute more toward keeping us poor than all our national debts, and that to suppress the former would be an infallible means of redeeming the latter. The whole scheme shall be drawn up in due form and presented to the Parliament in ensuing session.

Methinks the course of justice which has hitherto obtained among us is chargeable with great absurdities. Petty villains are hanged or transported, while great ones are allowed to pass unpunished. A man cannot take a purse upon the highway, or cut a single throat, but he must presently be called to answer for it in prison, and perhaps to answer for it on the gallows. Yet here are wretches allowed to commit murders by wholesale, and to plunder, not only private persons and pockets, but even the Government, without having any questions asked! Pray, what are gibbets, gallows and whipping posts made for?

But to return to the doctor. I have had the curiosity to examine several of his medicines in a laboratory, reducing compounds by chemical analysis, and have always found a considerable proportion of some poisonous plant or mineral in every one of them. Arsenic, wolf's-bane, mercury, and hemlock are usually present, and he could no more make up a medicine without some of these than remove a mountain. According as they are variously mixed and disposed among other drugs, he gives them various names, calling them pills boluses, electuaries, etc. His pills I would prescribe as a substitute for a halter—so that any who are weary of this troublesome world and would willingly quit it for a better, but are too squeamish to take up that queer old-fashioned recipe called hanging, may have their business done as securely and more decently by some of these excellent pills.

A moderate dose of one of his boluses, also, has perfectly silenced a bawling dog that used to disturb my morning slumbers, and like quantity of it has quieted several other snarling curs in my neighborhood. And then, if you be troubled with rats, I recommend one of the doctor's electuaries. I have effectually cleared my house of these vermin by putting little packets of it in places they frequent.

Finally, I must ask your pardon for being so serious on so funny a subject, and spending so many words on an empty quack.

One of the wittiest of the younger generation of actresses is Miss Dorothy Minto. Not long ago she was present at a dinner party, and a rather pert young man seated next to her said:

"All this talk about feminism is utter rot. There isn't a woman alive who wouldn't rather be beautiful than clever."

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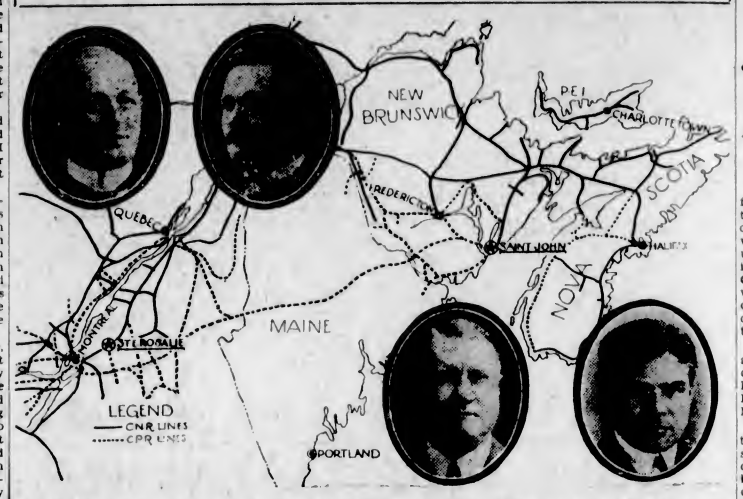
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Principals in Railway Rate Dispute



By a recent decision of the Supreme Court, St. Rosalie, shown on this map near Montreal, is declared to be an "open gateway" for through traffic from the Maritime Provinces to Western Canada, but Saint John, N.B. is not. The "gateways" are points where the Canadian National has contact with the Canadian Pacific Railway.

The case arose out of the legislation of last session ordering a twenty per cent reduction in Maritime freight rates, and also in the Maritime proportion of a through rate to Western Canada. Briefly, the point at issue was which line should absorb a twenty per cent reduction or how to split it. The railways in July filed joint tariffs under the Act. Some of them were approved, but the particular one of the C.N.R. in this case was not sanctioned.

Objections were raised by Nova Scotia and New Brunswick, and the Railway Commission ordered the C.N.R. to put into force rates through both "gateways" equal to those over both lines direct.

The Canadian National appealed to the board for a rescinding of this order, but the commission refused. Thereupon an appeal was taken to the Supreme Court on the question of the jurisdiction of the Railway Commission to make the orders.

In the above layout are shown: Premier Baxter of New Brunswick, (to left), who urged the opening of both the Saint John and St. Rosalie gateways; Hon. C. A. Dunning, Minister of Railways and Canals, (top right); Sir Henry Thornton, president of the Canadian National Railways (lower left), and Mr. E. W. Beatty, president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, (lower right).

HEAVY PENALTY IMPOSED HERE

CHINESE OPIUM SELLER GIVEN FOUR YEARS IN PRISON AND IS FINED $1,000

Another Chinaman to Serve Six Months at Oakalla for Being in Possession of Drug

Four years' imprisonment and a fine of $1,000 and $5 costs, or a further six months in prison in default of payment of the fine and costs, was the sentence imposed yesterday upon a young Chinaman, Wong Yue, in the city police court by Magistrate George Jay. Wong Yue was convicted on two charges of selling opium, and the penalty on both counts was the same, with the sentences to run concurrently.

Wong Yue elected summary trial, and entered a plea of guilty. The circumstances of the case were related by Detective Corporal L. J. Black, of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police.

Corporal Black informed the court that in company with Detective Constable Douglas McGibbon, he purchased from the accused on December 22 one tin of opium for $115, and on December 31 he bought some more opium for $90.

ACCUSED GIVES AID

Corporal Black stated that the accused, since being arrested, had given the police information which would be of value in capturing other drug traffickers.

"Selling opium is a more serious offence than having a few packages of opium in possession," declared Magistrate Jay, in meting out punishment to Wong Yue.

Sing, another Chinaman, pleaded guilty through counsel, Mr. Stuart Henderson, to a charge of being unlawfully in possession of opium, and was sentenced by Magistrate Jay to six months' imprisonment and a fine of $200 and $2 costs, or a further term of two months in default of payment of fine and costs.

DESCRIBES THE OFFENCE

In outlining the circumstances, Corporal Black stated that in company with Detective Constable McGibbon he searched the accused in Fan Tan Alley, and found in one of his pockets five small packages of opium, and in his other pocket a tin containing nineteen packages of opium.

Mr. Stuart Henderson, defence counsel, urged the magistrate to impose the minimum sentence. He claimed that the accused appeared to have used opium more than anything else from the physical condition he was in.

Wong Leong, Yue Ling and Wah Lung Wong, who last week were arraigned in the police court to face charges of selling opium, and were each granted bail of $4,000, yesterday through counsel, Mr. Stuart Henderson, elected trial by a higher court. The preliminary hearing of the case in the city police court was set for this morning.

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Terrible Backache

Hamilton, Ont. — "After my baby was born I had terrible backache and headaches. I could not do my work and felt tired from the first minute I got up. But worst of all were the pains in my sides when I moved about. I had to sit or lie down for a while afterwards. I could keep my house in order, but many things had to go undone at the time, because of my ailments. I was told by a neighbor to take Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, as she said it would build me up. I was relieved before I had taken the first we bought and have not had any trouble like it since."—Mrs. T. MARKLE, 60 Burton Street, Hamilton, Ontario.

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HEROISM AND ENDURANCE IS SHOWN BY WORKERS ON SUNKEN SUBMARINE

Tom Eadie Is Star, Officers Deferring to Him—Cold and Pressure Are Enemies

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PROVINCETOWN, Mass., Jan. 11. —At the easternmost extremity of Cape Cod, a quaint village sleeps. A resort in Summer, it has stored its finery and hibernated, its narrow, winding streets dim little canyons in the fog that so often envelops it.

Gone are the merriment of Summer, the dash and color of bathers, the stutter of pleasure launches. Gone also are those transient merchants from nearby cities, whose phemeral shops with their signs are only an incongruity in Winter-time.

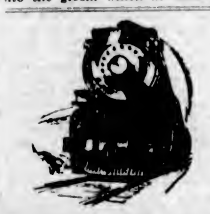
Provincetown sleeps.

And a mile off shore on the ocean floor those sailors not yet released from the trapped submarine S-4. Above them on a restless sea, more sailors bend daily to missions of rescue, give generously of their strength and vigor, try ever with more might than caution to salvage that hideous thing which claimed their comrades in death

A fishing smack, slippery and wet and smelly, noses into the fog. At the wheel a ruddy man peers intently into the murk. He hums an old-world tune. He is used to tragedy, knows the cruel tricks of that sea which has been his life.

"Take about an hour in this fog," the volunteers. "The Falcon is beyond the Bushnell."

He steers by the compass, dead into the gloom which at times almost obscures the bow. Slow, very slow, creeping along, sounding his fog horn. Save for his own horn and the swish of waves, the air is deady silent. Skippers are wary today.



FALCON MIRAGE IN MURK

A civilian diver reporting to the Falcon, scans the choppy sea and fidgets. "Pretty bad," he says. Presently a dim sound, like the moo of a cow. It grows lounder. Five blasts. A ship at anchor.

"That's the Bushnell," the skipper volunteers. "The Falcon is beyond, to port."

The sea is calming and the fog raises a little. Ahead, to port, the Falcon appears. A grotesque thing at first, like a mirage, it gradually takes shape. It is moored by several buoys, and a network of lines hangs over the side.

"They're diving from starboard," explained the skipper. "We'll have to pull alongside the port." He does, a rope ladder is dropped, and we board the Falcon.

The Falcon buzzes with activity. Every man aboard is doing something Forward a bit, at the side, attention is centred. This is where the divers are, and two of them are down.

"Bill Carr. He's on the floor now," somebody says. "You'll have to wait a couple of hours."

"Looking for Carr?" inquires another, in diving suit, a pleasant-faced chap, tired and worn. "I'm Tom Eadie. Let's go down and get some coffee. Carr will be up in half an hour. But he can't talk until he comes out of the decompression chamber."

Men aboard, even officers, defer to this intrepid one, but he seems not to sense or realize it. He is modest, likeable, shy. But he is an authority aboard, and even officers seek his counsel.

NO TEA PARTY

After coffee, Eadie goes back on deck. Carr is still down with Kelly, "hosing" the channels under the S-4. Captain Hartley, Bucko Mate "Spitting Jim" Burnett, Skinny Loughman and others direct the men above.

"Here, you!" marks Burnett to a new member of the rescue crew. "Get ahold here. This ain't no tea party."

Eadie is being imprisoned in his helmet to relieve Carr. A group of seamen gaze enviously at him.

"I'd match Tom Eadie and Bill Carr against any divers in the world," volunteers an officer. And other divers agree. There is no rivalry, no jealousy, no envy. Esprit de corps is high.

"More pressure for Carr," shouts a voice at the telephone.

"Cut down on Kelly's pressure."

"Kelly, Kelly, get this now—Carr—is—working—toward—you—. Watch—for—him."

"All right, more pressure for Kelly."

"Take up that slack on Carr's line."

Commands ring out. Voices above protecting life down below. Eadie is ready now, and Kelly and Carr are on their way up. Mattox is going down with Eadie.

Frank Crilley, holder with three other Navy divers of the world's record depth, a grizzled veteran, looks on. He has had his daily "turn on the floor," but is ready for another if need be. His face shows the strain.

"You won't get to talk to Bill when he comes up, you know," he volunteers, "but you can see him through the glass port holes in the chamber."

THE DIVERS COME UP

Kelly and Carr come up. They must be stripped of their heavy gear and gotten into the decompression chamber in ten seconds. Time is precious.

Kelly's helmet is off and he is being led to the decompression chamber. They are having trouble with Carr's helmet—a stripped thread or something, and are twisting vigorously with wrenches. Carr's head is bobbing like a cork in an eddy. The strain on his head must be terrific.

He is disengaged at last, and he flings an oath back over his shoulder as he is led to the chamber.

"Hurt?" queries Captain Hartley.

"No, just his regulation growl," explains another officer.

Eadie and Mattox are down now. The fog grows thick again, but the sea remains fairly calm. Carr and Kelly look spent and worn, reclining in the chamber The air indicates they are still under a pressure of five pounds.

"About twenty minutes and he'll be out," explains Crilley.

Carr and Kelly finally emerge, Eadie and Mattox go in, and Elben and Ingram go down. First "chow" is ready in the C.P.O.'s mess.

"What, slum again?" barks Carr, and to the man at the head of the table, 'For God's sake, teach those ignorant men of yours to take a helmet off They don't have to pull my neck off."

Everybody grins. Somebody shouts, "Shut up Irish, and pass the sugar."

FORCED BANTER

These moments are given to banter, but faces tell that most of it is forced. Voices are here but minds aren't. Minds and thoughts are on that ocean floor below, where Elben and Ingram are working now. The meal is hurried, and Carr and the others are on deck at once.

Night lays a foggy blanket of darkness, but work goes on. Calm weather is precious. There are no moments to lose. The barometer indicates a gale tomorrow.

Eadie and Mattox, whom Eadie pulled out of the mud for his second spectacular rescue, are eating now, at second "chow."

Nine o'clock and the divers are still down, working in total blackness. Carr goes into the pilot's room. He is joined by Eadie.

Midnight comes far too quickly with Carr and Eadie talking. Carr complains that he can't sleep, anyhow, and the tired lines in his face prove it. Eadie says he has been sleeping better.

Morning brings a sea growing rougher. The wind is approaching gale force. Yet Carr and Bedford go down. They have no thought of anything else, not until the seas endanger the Falcon itself. Curt commands cut the air.

They are down twenty minutes when a voice shouts: "Send Carr to Bedford. He is in distress." But Carr's lines are already slack, indicating he has sensed trouble. He finds Bedford, blinded and bleeding from the pressure, and carries him to the diving stage, lowered fifty feet.

Eadie looks on like a hound tugging at the leash, eager to go to their help if necessary. But Carr reports: "Pull him up," and when someone asks, "Shall we pull you up, too?" he retorts, "No, I'm going to get that hatch off."

So the work goes on, steadily, determinedly, each in the rank and file of divers doing his share under the tutelage of such stars as Eadie, Carr, Kelly, Crilley, Loughman, Wilson and Elben.

Wife—I think I hear burglars. Are you awake?

Husband—No.

Alabama Maru To Dock From Orient Today

THE Osaka Shosen Kaisha liner Alabama Maru will reach William Head from Japan at 11 a.m. today and will dock at the Rithet Consolidated piers at noon. The vessel has 110 tons of cargo, 103 bags of ordinary mail and eleven bags of air mail to put ashore here. Ten steerage passengers will disembark at this port before the liner sails for Seattle.

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10:30 A.M.	8:00 A.M.
1:00 P.M.	10:30 A.M.
3:30 P.M.	1:00 P.M.
5:30 P.M.	3:00 P.M.
6:15 P.M.	4:30 P.M.
8:15 P.M.	6:00 P.M.
11:15 P.M.	9:15 P.M.

Sundays, Christmas Day and New Year's Day

Leaves Victoria	Leaves Sidney
10:00 A.M.	9:00 A.M.
3:00 P.M.	11:00 A.M.
5:00 P.M.	8:00 P.M.
8:00 P.M.	6:00 P.M.
10:00 P.M.	9:00 P.M.

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1:30 p.m.	Including	2:30 p.m.
3:15 p.m.	Sundays	4:00 p.m.
5:00 p.m.		6:00 p.m.

Liner Takes Large Cargo for Antipodes



M.S. Aorangi, of the Canadian-Australasian Royal Mail Line, which sailed for the Antipodes last night with 3,500 tons of cargo and a passenger list of 400, considered large for this time of year.

CABLE OFFICIAL SAILS ON LINER

GENERAL MANAGER OF IMPERIAL PACIFIC CABLE LEAVES ON AORANGI

Mr. Robert S. Bain Visits Victoria—Is Well Known Here—Inspects Bamfield

After having inspected the Bamfield Cable Station, Mr. Robert S. Bain, general manager of the Imperial Pacific Cable, sailed for the Antipodes on the Aorangi last night.

Mr. Bain, who is well known in Victoria, spent several days in the city renewing old friendships and transacting certain business in connection with the Cable Board's land-line transmission across Canada.

He arrived in the Dominion from the London offices of the board. After an official visit to Ottawa for conferences with departmental officials, he inspected all the Canadian offices of the board, ending his tour with a visit to Bamfield.

After paying visits to all the Pacific stations and proceeding to Wellington, N.Z., on Government business, Mr. Bain will return to his headquarters at Sydney, N.S.W.

RUTH ALEXANDER TO DOCK TONIGHT

The Ruth Alexander, of the Pacific Steamship Company's fleet, will dock at the Rithet Consolidated piers from California at about 10 o'clock tonight.

The Ruth is bringing a fair passenger list and sixty tons of cargo for this port.

For Mainland

After discharging 100 tons of California freight at the Ogden Point piers, the Canadian Observer sailed for Vancouver at 1 p.m. yesterday.

To Sail

The motorship Stensby, which has been loading lumber at Crofton, is expected to put to sea tonight, King Brothers reported yesterday.

WORK PROCEEDING ON NORTHWESTERN

Work on the stranded ship Northwestern, ashore at Cape Mudge, is progressing as well as can be expected in view of adverse weather conditions, according to Mr. V. F. Cribb, manager of the Vancouver Drydock & Salvage Company, who was a visitor in the city yesterday.

The salvors are still lightering the cargo of the stranded ship, and this work is proceeding steadily.

MOTORSHIP DUE THIS MORNING

Pacific Enterprise Is on Maiden Voyage to This Coast From United Kingdom Ports

The Pacific Enterprise will dock at the Ogden Point piers from United Kingdom ports, via San Francisco, at 7:30 o'clock this morning, King Brothers, local agents for the Furness (Pacific) Line, announced yesterday.

The Pacific Enterprise is a new twin-screw motorship. She is on her maiden voyage to this coast.

The vessel has about 100 tons of cargo for discharge here. Of the six passengers aboard her, two, Mr. and Mrs. Kirk, are bound for Courtenay. The others will disembark at Vancouver.

NEPTUNIAN HERE TO LOAD LUMBER

Delayed for a day at New Westminster because of fog, the freighter Neptunian docked at the Ogden Point piers yesterday at 1 p.m. The vessel will load a million feet of lumber for Australia, King Brothers, local agents, report.

MONTREAL PRODUCE

MONTREAL, Jan. 11—Eggs were steady; butter firm.

Cheese, Westerns 19 to 19¾.

Butter, No. 1 Pasteurized 35¾ to 36.

Eggs, storage extras 45 to 46; storage firsts 41 to 42; storage seconds 33; fresh extras 55; firsts 53.

Ocean and Coastwise Movements

VESSEL MOVEMENTS

SEATTLE, Jan. 11 Arrived Hollywood, Olymont, John C. Kirkpatrick, San Francisco; La Placentia, Arkansas, Lurline, Point Dollar, Tacoma Sailed Arkansas, Stuart Dollar, San Francisco; Robin Gray, Ferline, Tacoma; Admiral Rogers, Southeastern Alaska.

KETCHIKAN, Jan. 11.—Sailed: Norco, southbound.

TACOMA, Jan. 11.—Arrived Lurline, Seattle; F. J. Luckenbach, Seattle; Marsodak, Los Angeles; Floridan, New York; La Placentia, Los Angeles Sailed, Arkansas, Bordeaux; Lurline, Floridan, Seattle.

PORTLAND, Jan. 11.—Arrived: Anne Hanify, San Francisco; Madras City, Sunderland; Munami, Los Angeles; Ms. Axel Johnson, Stockholm; Nictheroy, London. Sailed: William F Herrin, Ms. Los Alamos, Los Angeles; Orteana, Seattle; Admiral Pluke, San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 11.—Arrived: Admiral Peary, San Pedro; Cadiopeak, Portland. Sailed: Kentuckian, Portland; Harry Luckenbach, Emma Alexander, Portland; Pacific Pine, New York; Westminno, Seattle; Rochele, Healra, Vancouver; West Chopaka, San Pedro; Nome City, San Pedro.

Arrived

HONG KONG, Jan. 10—President Grant, Seattle

YOKOHAMA, Jan. 9—President Lincoln, San Francisco.

SHANGHAI, Jan. 10 — Woyo Maru, Portland

Sailed

PANAMA CANAL, Jan. 10—Minnesotan, Portland for New York; New York, San Pedro; Ulla Pool, Kinross, Pacific ports

WEATHER REPORT

ALERT BAY—Rain; calm; 29.98 smooth
ESTEVAN—Rain; calm, 29.98, 48, rough.
PRINCE RUPERT — Rain, southeast strong; 29.80; 44; rough.
PACHENA—Rain; southwest; 30.03, 49; heavy swell.
CARMANAH—Misty, rain, southeast 29.85, heavy swell
CAPE BEALE—Misty; rain; south, 29.97; heavy swell.

WIRELESS REPORT

(Estevan, 8 p.m., unless otherwise stated)
TUDOR STAR—Colon for Vancouver, 470 miles south of Estevan at noon.
TORONTOLITE—Port San Luis for Vancouver, 139 miles from Vancouver.
ROCHELLE—San Francisco for Vancouver, twenty-five miles south of San Francisco.
MONTREAL MARU—Bound Seattle, 1,530 miles from Estevan.
DEVON CITY—New Orleans for Kobe, via Comox, 53.23 N., 134.18 W.

SHIPPING CALENDAR

To Arrive

EMMA ALEXANDER—From California, Jan. 8
AORANGI—From Antipodes, Jan. 8
PARTHENIA — From United Kingdom, Jan. 9.
SHIDZUOKA MARU — From Orient, Jan. 10.
PACIFIC ENTERPRISE — From United Kingdom, Jan. 13
ALABAMA MARU—From Orient, Jan. 12.
PRESIDENT TAFT — From United Kingdom, Jan. 14.
MONTGOMERYSHIRE — From United Kingdom, Jan. 21.
EMPRESS OF RUSSIA — From Orient, Jan. 21.
PACIFIC SHIPPER—From United Kingdom, Jan. 28
YOKOHAMA MARU — From Orient, Jan. 26.
PRESIDENT JEFFERSON—From Orient, Jan. 30.
NIAGARA—From Antipodes, Feb. 3
TOYAMA MARU—From Orient, Feb. 8.
LONDON IMPORTER — From United Kingdom, Feb. 11.
EMPRESS OF ASIA — From Orient, Feb. 13
KAGA MARU—From Orient, Feb. 18
PACIFIC RELIANCE—From United Kingdom, Feb. 27.
PACIFIC TRADER—From United Kingdom, March 13

To Depart

EMMA ALEXANDER — For California, Jan. 8
ARABIA MARU—For Orient, Jan. 10.
AORANGI—For Antipodes, Jan. 11.
PRESIDENT PIERCE — For Orient, Jan. 16.
SHIDZUOKA MARU—For Orient, Jan. 24.
PRESIDENT TAFT—For Orient, Jan. 30.
EMPRESS OF RUSSIA — For Orient, Feb. 4
NIAGARA—For Antipodes, Feb. 8
YOKOHAMA MARU—For Orient, Feb. 9
EMPRESS OF ASIA—For Orient, Feb. 25
AFRICA MARU—For Orient, Feb. 29.
KAGA MARU—For Orient, March 3.
ARABIA MARU—For Orient, March 13

C.G.M.M. MOVEMENTS

CANADIAN IMPORTER—Left Panama for Halifax, Jan. 4; due Victoria again on March 19.
CANADIAN RANGER—Arrived Montreal, Nov. 28.
CANADIAN SPINNER—Left Fraser Mills for Barnet, Jan. 7, sails Jan. 11
CANADIAN WINNER—Left Halifax for Sydney, N.S., Jan. 2, due here Feb. 17.
CANADIAN MILLER—Arrived Victoria from Montreal, Jan. 9

TRANSPACIFIC MAILS

JANUARY, 1928

China and Japan

TATHYBIUS (Japan only)—Mails close January 10, 1 p.m. Due at Yokohama January 23.
PRESIDENT PIERCE—Mails close January 13, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama January 29. Shanghai, February 2, Hong Kong, February 3.
LONDON MARU (Japan only)—Mails close January 18, 11 p.m. Due at Yokohama February 4
SHIDZUOKA MARU (Japan only)—Mails close January 24, 4 p.m. Due at Yokohama February 9.
PRESIDENT TAFT—Mails close January 30, 6 p.m. Due at Yokohama February 12; Shanghai, February 16; Hong Kong, February 18.
ACHILLES (Japan only)—Mails close January 31, 1 p.m. Due at Yokohama February 14.

Australia and New Zealand

AORANGI—Mails close January 11, 9 p.m. Due at Auckland January 30, Sydney, February 4.
NONOKA (Fiji and Australia only)—Mails close January 18, 4 p.m. Due at Sydney February 6
TAHITI—Mails close January 22, 4 p.m. Due at Wellington February 13, Sydney, February 18.

GULF ISLANDS SERVICE

The Ss. Otter will leave Victoria on Mondays, Wednesdays and Thursdays at 7:15 a.m. and the Princess Royal on Tuesdays at 11 a.m. to Gulf Islands points.

STORMS BESET RACING SHIPS

SCHOONERS ALVENA AND IRENE WERE DRIVEN FAR OUT OF COURSES

Real History of Missing Four-Master Alvena Will Probably Never Be Written

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 11.—Disappearance of the schooner Alvena, reported missing after she appealed for help last week off Cape Hatteras, adds another chapter to the dying story of sail and spar on the seas. The distress calls of the famous old four-master caught the attention of sailors on a thousand waterfronts on both sides of the Pacific.

The real history of the Alvena and her sister ship, the Irene, probably never will be written. In 1925 the two schooners had rested for years in the graveyard of ships. Four-masters both, unequipped with engines they had been considered useless. Then someone had a vision. Out of the mud came the old hulks to be overhauled and reset with sails.

From Aberdeen, Wash., December 8, 1925, the Irene sailed, lumber-laden, for Miami, Fla., and the building boom. Six days later the Alvena cleared. It was to be a race.

Both should have made Miami in thirty days.

Eighty-one days later the Alvena had won her battle with the seas. She limped into Balboa. Tattered sails, barnacled hull, sunblistered deck—the Alvena had them all. She had conquered rain, snow, gale, cyclone, doldrums, lack of food and water. Weeks later she made Miami.

Five months afterward the Irene was towed into San Pedro. She is there in the mud today. Like the Alvena, she had sailed and drifted into the South Seas and back again. Little was heard of the surviving Alvena for many months on this Coast. Two weeks or so ago she left Jacksonville, Fla., for Portland, Maine, and immediately ran into a storm.

PRESIDENT LINER IS NOT DAMAGED

SHANGHAI, Jan. 11.—The steamship President Monroe, which ran aground in the Inland Sea of Japan Sunday, has arrived here. Experts who examined the hull said today that the vessel was not damaged and will sail as scheduled. The ship will not be put in drydock until it reaches New York.

Shipping Information

SUNRISE AND SUNSET
JANUARY

Time of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of January, 1928.

	Sunrise	Sunset		Sunrise	Sunset
1	8:04	4:27	17	8:00	4:47
2	8:04	4:28	18	7:59	4:48
3	8:04	4:29	19	7:58	4:50
4	8:04	4:30	20	7:57	4:52
5	8:03	4:31	21	7:56	4:53
6	8:03	4:32	22	7:55	4:53
7	8:03	4:33	23	7:54	4:56
8	8:03	4:34	24	7:53	4:58
9	8:03	4:36	25	7:52	4:59
10	8:03	4:37	26	7:51	5:01
11	8:04	4:38	27	7:50	5:03
12	8:04	4:40	28	7:49	5:04
13	8:04	4:41	29	7:47	5:05
14	8:03	4:43	30	7:46	5:07
15	8:03	4:44	31	7:45	5:08
16	8:01	4:46			

MOONRISE AND MOONSET
JANUARY

Time of moonrise and moonset (Pacific Standard time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of January, 1928.

Date	Rises	Sets
1	12:49 p.m.	1:16 a.m.
2	1:14 p.m.	2:34 a.m.
3	1:44 p.m.	3:55 a.m.
4	2:19 p.m.	5:15 a.m.
5	3:04 p.m.	6:23 a.m.
6	4:01 p.m.	7:42 a.m.
	(Full Moon)	
7	5:06 p.m.	8:40 a.m.
8	6:17 p.m.	9:26 a.m.
9	7:28 p.m.	10:00 a.m.
10	8:40 p.m.	10:28 a.m.
11	9:49 p.m.	10:51 a.m.
12	10:55 p.m.	11:10 a.m.
13		11:28 a.m.
14		11:46 a.m.
	(Last Quarter)	
15	1:04 a.m.	12:04 p.m.
16	2:08 a.m.	12:35 p.m.
17	3:14 a.m.	12:49 p.m.
18	4:20 a.m.	1:18 p.m.
19	5:28 a.m.	1:58 p.m.
20	6:36 a.m.	2:40 p.m.
21	7:22 a.m.	3:27 p.m.
22	9:10 a.m.	4:43 p.m.
	(New Moon)	
23	8:49 a.m.	6:58 p.m.
24	9:21 a.m.	7:12 p.m.
25	9:49 a.m.	8:30 p.m.
26	10:11 a.m.	9:48 p.m.
27	10:32 a.m.	11:06 p.m.
28	10:54 a.m.	
29	11:18 a.m.	0:23 a.m.
	(First Quarter)	
30	11:44 a.m.	1:42 a.m.
31	12:16 p.m.	3:01 a.m.

TIDES AT VICTORIA
JANUARY

Date	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.
	H. M.	Ft.	H. M.	Ft.	H. M.	Ft.	H. M.	Ft.
1	2:18	5.0	9:51	8.5	17:02	4.9	23:07	9.4
2	3:49	5.0	10:58	8.5	17:35	3.5	.....	.....
3	.....	.....	10:48	9.7	18:43	2.4	.....	.....
4	.....	.....	11:18	10.1	19:20	1.8	.....	.....
5	.....	.....	11:46	10.4	20:12	0.7	.....	.....
6	.....	0.1	.....	9.1	13:30	10.0	20:54	0.4
7	7:05	0.2	8:43	8.1	12:58	10.3	21:54	0.8
8	7:26	0.5	9:34	8.0	13:33	9.9	22:13	0.8
9	7:52	0.3	10:36	8.7	14:09	9.3	22:52	1.5
10	8:14	0.1	11:51	9.3	14:38	8.6	23:33	2.2
11	8:37	0.0	13:12	7.7	16:03	7.6	.....	.....
12	9:13	0.2	2:33	9.0	.....	8.9	.....	6.9
13	9:46	0.5	3:49	9.6	.....	9.1	.....	5.9
14	1:11	8.2	9:08	8.0	17:44	9.4	.....	5.9
15	.....	8.6	9:26	8.0	17:57	4.7	.....	.....
16	.....	.....	9:50	9.1	18:13	4.1	.....	.....
17	.....	.....	10:14	9.2	18:28	3.6	.....	.....
18	.....	.....	10:43	9.3	18:57	2.8	.....	.....
19	.....	.....	10:37	8.4	16:39	2.3	.....	.....
20	.....	.....	10:47	8.6	20:10	1.8	.....	.....
21	.....	.....	11:02	8.8	20:44	1.3	.....	.....
22	.....	.....	12:20	9.0	21:21	1.1	.....	.....
23	.....	.....	12:07	9.7	22:00	1.3	.....	.....
24	7:45	8.4	10:12	8.4	13:34	8.3	22:01	1.8
25	7:14	8.4	11:10	7.8	14:55	8.0	23:22	2.3
26	7:18	8.8	12:12	7.1	16:08	8.6	.....	.....
27	8:03	9.1	7:36	8.8	12:17	6.3	17:48	7.2
28	8:58	9.2	7:58	8.6	14:28	5.9	19:48	6.7
29	1:09	8.3	8:17	8.7	15:37	4.4	22:08	8.5
30	1:12	8.3	8:40	8.4	16:26	3.4	.....	.....
31	.....	.....	9:06	8.7	17:31	2.6	.....	.....

The time used is Pacific Standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. Where blanks occur in the tables, the tides rise or fall continuously during two successive tidal periods without turning.

The height is in feet and tenths of a foot, measured from the average level of lower low water.

Esquimalt—To find the depth of water on the sill of the drydock at any time, add thirty feet to the height of high water as given above.

SPANISH PIRATES Attack and Loot Stranded Trawler

GIBRALTAR, Jan. 11.—Piracy, almost within the shadow of the great fortress, occurred yesterday when the Spanish trawler San Antonio was attacked by fifty Spanish fishing boats. The pirates numbered about 300 and were armed with pistols, knives and clubs. They boarded the trawler, looted the vessel and cut the nets.

Another trawler was treated in a similar manner. The boats were aground at Atumara, where the Spanish coastguard was driven off. Later the trawlers were refloated and taken to Gibraltar.

BOMBAY GREETS WORLD CRUISER

BOMBAY, India, Jan. 10.—The Canadian Pacific de luxe world-cruise ship, the Empress of Australia, arrived this morning and received favorable comment on this, her first visit to Bombay.

The stay of a week will enable the several parties already formed to see India by special trains.

The first, to Darjeeling and Mount Everest, rejoining the ship at Colombo; the second, to Delhi and Benares, Sanchi Toupe; and the third to Agra, where the world-famous Taj Mahal is located, thence to Fatehipur Sikri, the deserted village, rejoining the ship at Bombay, where the fourth section will have been sight-seeing in the Caves of the Elephanta and in the city of Bombay. The ship will then sail on January 17 for Colombo.

NEW NAME FOR ST. PAUL ROAD

WASHINGTON, Jan. 11.—Receivership over the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad in effect was terminated yesterday when the interstate commerce commission finally approved complete reorganization.

The new company, the Chicago, Milwaukee, St. Paul & Pacific Railroad, was given permission to take over the 11,200 miles of the old St. Paul system.

It further was empowered to issue 1,174,060 shares of common stock without par value, $119,845,800 in preferred stocks; $106,395,096 in five per cent mortgage bonds, and $182,963,693 in five per cent adjustment mortgage bonds, all of which securities will be exchanged for obligations of the old St. Paul company under terms of a plan prepared in the federal courts.

JAPANESE SHIP DUE TOMORROW

The freighter Usuri Maru will dock at the Rithet Consolidated piers on Friday morning to load lumber for Japan, King Brothers, local agents for the vessel, announced yesterday. The Usuri will take on 650,000 feet of Japanese squares.

Achilles Docks

After lying at anchor in Royal Roads Tuesday evening, the Blue Funnel liner Achilles docked at the Rithet Consolidated piers from the Orient early yesterday morning. After discharging local cargo and disembarking thirty steerage passengers, she sailed again at 7 a.m.

For Vancouver

The freighter Venice Maru will pass in at William Head at 8 o'clock tonight, bound for Vancouver, King Brothers reported yesterday.

AORANGI SAILS FOR ANTIPODES

MOTORSHIP TAKES OUT BIG CARGO AND FAIR PASSENGER LIST

Major-General Stewart Is En Route to New Zealand to Tender on Tunnel Job

With approximately 400 passengers and 3,500 tons of cargo, the Canadian-Australasian Royal Mail liner Aorangi sailed for the Antipodes from the Rithet Consolidated piers shortly after 8 o'clock last night.

The big motorship docked here from Vancouver at 6 p.m. to pick up passengers and mails and a quantity of local cargo.

Prominent among the passengers on the liner were Major-General J. W. Stewart, Mr. C. V. Cummings, vice-president of the Northern Construction Company, and Mr. William Small, chief engineer of the firm, all of whom were bound for Wellington, N.Z., for the purpose of figuring on a five-mile railway tunnel just outside of that city. The tender will be made in the name of the Northern Construction Company and J. W. Stewart, the partnership which has carried on several undertakings in recent years.

DAY LABOR USED

New Zealand has hitherto not followed the practice of contracting its public works, and although calling for tenders in this instance, is not quite a precedent, it is a departure regarded as of great importance in that Dominion. Public works have hitherto been done on the day labor plan and the contracting business has not experienced any development, so that the bidders for the present undertaking will be from abroad.

The tunnel is for the purpose of joining two railway lines several miles outside of Wellington in order that heavy grades on one of them may be avoided. The tunnel is in two sections, one of four miles and the other of one. Three years are allowed for the work.

TUNNEL COMPARED

As member of the firm of Foley, Welch & Stewart, which constructed the Connaught tunnel in the Rogers Pass for the C.P.R., General Stewart has had unique experience in this class of work. Magnitude of the job can be gathered from the fact that the Connaught tunnel, also about five miles in length, cost in the neighborhood of $6,000,000.

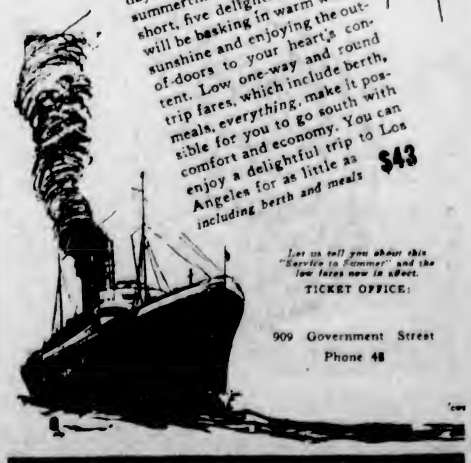
Mr. Cummings says that the party will return to Vancouver after the work is awarded, whether they are successful or not; but in the event of getting the award, some of the firm's chief executives will have to go to New Zealand for two or three years. Much heavy equipment will also have to be transported halfway around the world if the Canadian concern does the work. Tenders close February 21

American Ship Loses Officer During Voyage

SAN PEDRO, Cal., Jan. 11.—The loss at sea of Chief Officer Sam Mitchell of the American Pioneer Line steamer Stanley, on January 3, was reported by the ship's officers on arrival here from the Philippines today. The chief officer was washed overboard into high seas during a squall and failed to catch a lifebuoy thrown to him. A two-hour search for the body was unsuccessful. The storm was encountered 800 miles out of Honolulu.

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Vancouver Island News

CONTEST SURE IN CUMBERLAND

MAYOR MAXWELL AND MR. JOHN THOMSON NOMINATED FOR MAYORALTY

Aldermanic Board Returned by Acclamation—Mr. Dan Bannerman Only New Member

CUMBERLAND, Jan. 11.—Citizens of Cuberland are assured of a contest for mayor for the coming year, Mayor Alex. Maxwell and Mr. John Thomson having filed nomination papers. Polling will take place tomorrow. Mayor Maxwell has filled the mayor's chair for the past two years and has a host of friends. Mr. John Thomson has been a resident of Cumberland for a great many years and has acted as alderman in the past.

All the aldermen, with the exception of Mr. W. P. Symons, who has left the district, have been returned by acclamation. Mr. Dan Bannerman, the old Cumberland United Football Club's star forward, has been chosen in Mr. Symon's place, so that a poll for aldermen will not be necessary.

Two school trustees were required, Mrs. T. E. Banks' and Mr. Alex. McKinnon's terms having expired. These were the only two nominations received, however, so that a poll for school trustees will not be necessary. The school trustees for the coming year are Mrs. T. E. Banks, Mr. A. McKinnon, Mr. W. Henderson, Mrs. McNaughton and Mr. Dan Bannerman.

The following will comprise the 1928 council: Messrs. T. H. Mumford, C. J. Parnham, J. Williams, Dan Bannerman, W. Henderson and J. H. Ledingham.

Burglars Get Loot In Billiard Rooms

NANAIMO, Jan. 11.—The Wilson Block billiard parlors, owned by Mr. Gilbert Holt, were burglarized last night by some person or persons at present not apprehended. Entrance was made through a window in the rear of the premises and exit through the rear door, which was found open when the premises were opened for business in the morning. The burglars tapped the till of all cash and carried away stock including cigars, cigarettes, tobacco, etc., amounting in value to some $200.

Officers Installed

DUNCAN, Jan. 11.—Past Grand Master A. M. Manson, assisted by grand lodge officers, installed the 1928 officers of Temple Lodge, No. 33, A.F. & A.M., here last night, as follows: W. B. Harper, W.M.; A. E. Green, I.P.M.; E. H. McColl, S.W.; T. H. S. Horsfall, J.W.; D. E. Kerr, treasurer; C. W. O'Neill, secretary; W. B. Powel, S.D.; E. H. Peterson, J.D.; J. Dick, I.G.; R. Davies, S.S.; R. B. Trenholm, J.S.; R Cummins, chaplain; S. Gordon, D. of C.; J. D. Pollock, organist; S. Robinson, tyler.

DANCE AT COLWOOD

COLWOOD, Jan. 11.—A carnival dance under the auspices of the Canadian Legion, Prince Edward branch, No. 91, will be held in the Colwood Hall on Friday. Tombola prizes will be given and good music provided.

COLWOOD HOLDS CHURCH MEETING

Officers Are Elected for Coming Year—Vicar Thanked for Work Accomplished

COLWOOD, Jan. 11.—The annual general meeting of the vestry, church committee and parishioners was held at the vicarage here on Monday evening. Rev. H. S. Allen presided and those present included: Mr. W. Bickford, vicar's warden; Captain James, people's warden; Messrs. Little, Bosworth, Foreman, Mesdames Allen, Meadows, Foreman, Robinson, and Misses James and H. Scott. The financial statement and the reports of the senior and junior women's auxiliaries were read, all of which were most gratifying.

The election of officers resulted as follows: Vicar's warden, Mr. Bickford; people's warden, Captain F. W. James; church committee, Messrs. T. Godfrey, P. Foreman, W. Bosworth, J. Little, W. Bickford and Captain James, Mesdames Allen, Meadows, Foreman, Robinson and Brown, Misses James, H. Scott and E. Scott; delegates to the synod, Captain James and Mr. A. Hankin; delegates to the ruridecanal conference, Mrs. Foreman and Miss James.

Rev. H. S. Allen thanked the wardens and all organizations for the great help given him since he took over the parish in April, 1927, particularly Miss James for her services as organist, which had made possible special music and anthems at the harvest festival and on Christmas Day. He remarked that progress had been made by the Sunday school teachers amongst the children, and another teacher was needed to assist in the work. A hearty vote of thanks was passed on the motion of Miss James to Rev. H. S. and Mrs. Allen for their work during the last nine months.

Health Centre Report

DUNCAN, Jan. 11.—The report of the Cowichan Health Centre for the month of December shows the following districts visited: Duncan, Chemainus, Westholme, Crofton, Cowichan Lake, Sahtlam, Mayo, Cowichan Station, Cobble Hill, Koksilah, Glenora, Bench, Sylvania and Shawnigan Lake. Nursing service included: Bedside nursing visits, eighty-eight; child welfare visits, eighty-one; other welfare visits, thirty-five; co-operation visits, forty-three, and home school visits seventy, with total visits to homes of 317. There were sixty-seven telephone consultations with doctors and others; twenty-one visitors to the Health Centre and five transportations. Under school services with sixteen school days in the month there are reported sixty-four visits to school, 464 children inspected, fourteen health talks given; nineteen minor treatments; seventy home school visits and thirteen children excluded for minor infectious diseases. Three home nursing classes for "teen" age girls were held.

Duncan United Church

DUNCAN, Jan. 11.—Mr. A. M. Dirom, newly-elected president, presided at the regular weekly meeting of the Young People's League in the church on Monday evening. Rev. W. F. Burns gave an informal talk giving the members many practical suggestions for the new year. Mr. Burns also outlined the programme arranged by the Board of Religious Education for the young people's organizations, the Duncan league adopting this for 1928. Twenty members were present.

SOUTH SAANICH MEETINGS

The South Saanich Junior Institute Club will meet at the home of Miss Gladys Turner, Central Saanich Road, for the first meeting of the year on Saturday afternoon, January 14, at half-past two. A full attendance is requested and a very busy afternoon anticipated.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the South Saanich United Church will meet for the first meeting of the year in the church parlor on Thursday afternoon, January 12, at half-past two.

IF BACK HURTS BEGIN ON SALTS

Flush Your Kidneys Occasionally by Drinking Quarts of Good Water

No man or woman can make a mistake by flushing the kidneys occasionally, says a well-known authority. Too much rich food creates acids which clog the kidney pores so that they sluggishly filter or strain only part of the waste and poisons from the blood. Then you get sick. Rheumatism, headaches, liver trouble, nervousness, constipation, dizziness, sleeplessness, bladder disorders often come from sluggish kidneys.

The moment you feel a dull ache in the kidneys or your back hurts, or if the urine is cloudy, offensive, full of sediment, irregular of passage, or attended by a sensation of scalding, begin to drink soft water in quantities; also get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any reliable pharmacy and take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys may then act fine.

This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for years to help flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to activity, also to help neutralize the acids in the system so they no longer cause irritation, thus often relieving bladder disorders.

Jad Salts is inexpensive and cannot injure; makes a delightful effervescent lithia-water drink, which everyone can take now and then to help keep the kidneys clean and the blood pure, thereby often preventing serious kidney complications.

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QUALICUM FIRE IS DISASTROUS

MACKENZIE BLOCK WIPED OUT BY EARLY MORNING OUTBREAK

Valuable Contents Destroyed—Occupants Escape by Jumping From Windows

QUALICUM BEACH, Jan. 11.—A disastrous fire, which might easily have proved fatal, occurred here early this morning. The conflagration, which broke out at 2 o'clock in the centre of the Mackenzie Block, totally destroyed the building and contents, and Mr. Mackenzie and another resident on the premises had to leap from upstairs windows to escape from the flames.

The ground floor was used as a garage and warehouse, and the upper story was occupied by the family. Part of the premises were let to Miss Saunders for use as a music studio, and contained a valuable piano, furniture, art curios, and a quantity of music. The studio had just been decorated.

Five cars were in the garage, and all that remains is a pile of smoking ashes.

Metchosin Hall Committee Elected

METCHOSIN, Jan. 11.—There was an excellent attendance at the annual hall meeting held Thursday evening. Rev. H. Bolton was in the chair and upwards of thirty attended and showed great interest in the proceedings. The minutes of the 1927 meeting were read and adopted without comment. The financial statement showed a small balance, several purchases, including gasoline lamps, having been made recently. A vote of thanks was passed to the retiring committee and the following were elected for 1928: Messrs. W. G. Milsted, A. D. Ellwood and H. C. Helgeson. Mr. Helgeson proposed that a building committee be appointed to survey the hall buildings, with a view to possible alterations and additions, to report to a public meeting at an early date. Those appointed were Messrs. Frudd, C. Helgeson and McVicker. A letter was received from the Women's Institute, signifying its intention of purchasing a new kitchen stove for the hall, which was accepted. Refreshments were served by the ladies present.

FIRE LOSS SMALL IN NANAIMO CITY

NANAIMO, Jan. 11.—According to the report of Fire Chief John Parkin just submitted to the City Council, the total loss by fire in the city during the past year totaled only $4,576, $2,366 on buildings and $2,210 on contents.

The department, the report states, responded to seventy-one alarms of fire; laid 15,200 feet of two and a half inch hose, and was called out five times for drill.

VESTRY MEETING

METCHOSIN, Jan. 11.—The annual vestry meeting of St. Mary's Church will be held on Monday evening at 8 o'clock.

RAINFALL CAUSES CANCELLATION OF SOCCER FIXTURES

The too frequent application by Jupiter Pluvius was responsible for the cancellation of yesterday's soccer games. The Wednesday League will make another attempt to resume activities next week. Yesterday's lay-off has brought the length of idleness of the teams to six weeks, which it is understood is the longest lay-off ever suffered in Victoria.

Traffic in the Rhine with Switzerland in 1927 was nearly four times that of any year before the World War.

Gets $1.25 Cheque and Worth It



By AL DEMAREE

(Former Pitcher, New York Giants)

Professional baseball isn't different from any other game in the matter of pay. Often some third-string catcher who doesn't do anything but warm up in the bull pen draws more money than some star young regular.

Ball players, like other business men, like to keep their salaries secret and then fourflush that they are getting a lot more than they really are.

Some fellows who know they are drawing good money for their work don't mind spreading it around. Charlie Herzog was that way. He was drawing $10,000 from the Boston Braves, and when he was dressing he would say to a fellow, "Here, hold this cheque for me a minute, while I put on my collar."

Larry McLean got the smallest cheque ever given a ball player. He drew a cheque for $1.25 once, and showed it around. Larry had borrowed on his salary until he had only $1.25 coming to him.

Billy Burke Is Golf's 1928 Threat; Mid-South Showing Proves Powers

Florida Sensation Refuses to Slip and Starts Winter Season With Remarkable Demonstration

By BUNKER

Among the new golfers who popped to the forefront in 1927 the most feared among professionals in 1928 will be William Burke, of Blind Brook, Port Chester, N.Y.

When Burke swept through strong fields to win the Florida open and the Central Florida open last February—fields that included Hagen, Cruickshank and the other stars—he was utterly unknown, and many thought he was but a momentary flash across the golfing sky. Generally speaking, he was soon almost forgotten.

But, although he won no other tournaments, Burke was, with one exception, a genuine contender in every other event in which he participated. Not more than two or three other golfers were more consistent than he.

At the end, he had a better medal tournament average than Sarazen, Armour, Turnesa, Mehlhorn, Golden, Macfarlane, Hutchison, Klein, Brady, Barnes and a score of other cracks. Among all American professionals, only Farrell, Mac Smith, Hagen, Cooper, Cruickshank, Watrous, Diegel and Al Espinosa did better than he.

In addition to the two Florida victories cited above, Billy finished second in the Florida West Coast open and the Norwich Invitation, third in the Canadian open, fourth in the Metropolitan open, and in a tie for fifth in the Westchester open, and seventh in both the Shawnee and Eastern opens. In all these events he battled the biggest and best in the country.

OFF FORM JUST TWICE

Twice only did he go badly. In the North and South open, two deadly first rounds killed him. Also, he failed to qualify for the National open.

He set the lowest medal score of the season with a 64 at Norwich.

For those who enjoy figures, the figures are the things most enjoyed by golfers, a study of Burke's seasonal record is interesting:

Event	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	Total	Finish
Florida Open	71	76	67	74	288	1st
Central Florida	73	70	72	75	291	1st
Southern	79	72	74	75	300	22nd
Metropolitan	71	76	82	76	305	4th
Shawnee	75	74	73	74	296	7th tie
Eastern	73	75	76	76	300	7th tie
Canadian	73	74	75	68	290	3rd
*Florida West Coast	75	74	70	—	219	2nd
xNorwich	69	64	—	—	133	2nd
xWestchester	78	76	—	—	154	5th tie
**North-South	81	75	—	—	—	—

*54-hole event. x36-hole event. **Uncompleted.

With the Fall and Winter campaign starting once more, Burke got off to a great start in the recent Midsouth open at Pinehurst. On the 6,559 No. 2 championship course, in this thirty-six-hole event he did a 70 and a 69 for 139. At that he only tied for second, behind Joe Turnesa's 138, but he served notice that he is more dangerous than ever.

A genuine threat for the ensuing year is William Burke, who, only ten months ago, was an utter unknown.

A "SOCK" FOR THE DUKE

A man is esteemed mostly for the golf he plays at St. Andrews, Scotland, the home of "gawf." Wordly titles mean little.

This is well illustrated by Harry Vardon's story about Jamie, keeper of a refreshment stand at the famous links, and the Grand Duke Michael of Russia, who often played at St. Andrews, where he was known as "Mr. Michael."

Jamie had a bit of a flagstaff above his stand and whenever any unusually celebrated person came out for a round he always unfurled the colors. One day the Grand Duke, arriving with some friends, saw the British flag flying in the breeze and approached Jamie.

"I'm greatly pleased that you have the flag up for me, Jamie," he said. "Thanks, very much."



To which the old Scotsman disconcertingly replied:

"It's na up for you, Mr. Michael, but for a better man than you—Mr. Balfour."

ONE ON HARRY VARDON

Vardon tells the following joke on himself, showing how the mightiest of the mighty can fail.

It was just after Harry had won his sixth British open championship at Prestwick in 1914, breaking all previous records and setting one that perhaps may never be equalled, that he went with James Braid and J. H. Taylor to Turnberry, Scotland, for a match. Some triumvirate! Braid and Taylor each had won the championship five times, and until now had shared the record with Vardon.

At the tenth hole, Taylor and Braid sat down to watch Vardon drive. They saw him make the most unusual shot of his career.

Playing with his usual faultless form, Vardon somehow barely hit his ball with the back of the heel of his club. He actually knocked it between his legs! It rolled twenty-five yards down a slope and into the sea.

Needless to say, Taylor and Braid roared with laughter, in which Vardon, perforce, soon joined.

VIC. FOLEY WILL MEET KLICK AT SEATTLE, JAN. 17

SEATTLE, Jan. 11.—Frank Klick, San Francisco's best featherweight boxer, has been signed to meet Vic Foley, of Vancouver, in the six-round main event of next Tuesday night's card at the Crystal Pool.

Klick, the most promising of the young crop to develop at his weight in the Bay region in the past few years, has been doing practically all his boxing in San Francisco and Oakland. His handlers have built him up gradually until now they feel he is ready to invade new fields and accept any matches that may develop.

Cancer Research

LONDON, Jan. 11.—The King has become a patron of the British Empire Cancer Society, of which the Duke of York is president. This society has just received a gift of about $50,000 for general research from an anonymous donor, while the executors of the late William Johnston, of Liverpool, have created a trust of $80,000. Sir John Bland-Sutton has accepted the presidency of the international cancer convention to be held in July.

Seven in Ten Men Past 40 Need This Special Treatment

Writer Explains Wondrous Value of Doctor Southworth's "Uratabs" And Invites All to Try Them Without Cost Unless Pleased

With middle age ailments attacking over two-thirds of those past 40, every man who notices such distressing symptoms as Lameness, Pains in back and down through groins, scanty but frequent and burning Urination, "Getting-Up-Nights," Nervous Irritability and Lack of Force—should at once try the amazing value of Dr. Southworth's URATABS.

While new to many, the truly remarkable value of URATABS has been thoroughly proven by more than 40 years of successful use in the private practice of Dr. H. C. Southworth. Reports from Doctors and Users alike offer convincing proofs. "I have never found anything to help my case until I tried URATABS." "URATABS are the best thing for Bladder Weakness and Irritation I have ever used." "No more backaches, no more pain, no more daily embarrassment or Getting-up-nights. I now sleep soundly and get up in the morning full of pep—thanks to URATABS.—This is amazing evidence!

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Gold Movement

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—A discount of 3-16ths of a cent on the Canadian dollar in the New York foreign exchange market induced a continuance of the flow of gold from Canada today, imports aggregating nearly $10,000,000. A consignment of $1,500,000, the last transaction of the day, came to the International Acceptance Bank, Inc. Other shipments included $4,000,000 to the Bank of Montreal, and $3,500,000 to the Canadian Bank of Commerce, which has received $10,000,000 since the movement of the metal back to New York began. The American Exchange Irving Trust Co. also received $750,000.

Nicaragua Skirmish

MANAGUA, Jan. 11.—Rebels attempting a concentration four miles north of Quilila yesterday, were attacked by a U.S. Marine airplane. Nine of the rebels were killed and three wounded.

Methyl Hydrate Charge

NELSON, Jan. 11.—James Allen, arrested late last night after James O'Neil, to whom he had allegedly sold a questionable liquid as liquor, collapsed in hospital, was charged this evening with causing O'Neil to "take certain poison to wit methyl hydrate, so as to endanger the life of O'Neil."

O'Neil, who is being treated at the hospital for lost fingers, was down town last night and obtained the wood alcohol from Allen at a hotel. Allen pleaded not guilty and was remanded to Friday morning.

Novel Device

TORONTO, Jan. 11.—A means of utilizing the newspaper society columns for money-making purposes is said by the police to have been discovered by Roy Singer, of Montreal, who was arrested here last night on a charge of fraud.

The allegation is that Singer watched the newspapers for the names of young out-of-town visitors, and using these names, had wired to the parents for money.

Two such appeals, sent to London and to Montreal aroused suspicion and the parents concerned appealed to the police.

Von Elm Denies He Will Turn Pro



GEORGE VON ELM

LOS ANGELES, Jan. 11.—George Von Elm late today denied the statement that he would abandon the amateur ranks and turn professional under the management of Jack Kearns. While Kearns insisted the colorful golfer was considering seriously his offer, Von Elm declared suggestion had been made only in a kidding way, and that he would not for a minute think of making such a change. Kearns declared his belief that plenty of money could be made out of professional golf if it were given the "proper ballyhoo" and intimated that Von Elm would be under his management after finishing the Long Beach tournament, which starts Friday. Kearns brought the name of Al Watrous, Grand Rapids professional, into the proposition as a possible teammate for Von Elm. Von Elm tonight telegraphed Herbert Ramsay, president of the United States Golf Association denying that he was considering an offer to turn professional.

BRITISH ARE EATING FEWER CHOCOLATES

MANCHESTER, Eng., Jan. 11.—When the greatly decreased earnings in the chocolate and confectionery trades were announced at the Manchester Chamber of Commerce meeting today, a member remarked:

"You gallants used to buy chocolates for your fair friends; now it is cigarettes."

The imports of refined sugar used in these industries, it was stated, have fallen off by about forty per cent.

Endurance Flight

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 11.—The airplane Southern Cross, recently christened Spirit of California, which came within three hours of equalling the world's endurance flight record on its last attempt, will take off at 7:30 a.m. tomorrow in another effort to establish a record. Capt. Charles Kingsford-Smith and Lieut. William Pond, the aviators, who stayed aloft for more than forty-nine hours several weeks ago, announced tonight that they were ready for another try.

LONDON SOLICITOR JOIN UNDERWORL

When Struck Off Rolls, They A Inclined to Keep On Going Down

LONDON, Jan. 11.—What becom of solicitors who, through profe sional malpractice, are "struck the rolls?" A proportion of the it is to be feared, join the unde world more or less rapidly. Hither however, it has been fairly easy such a one to make a living by coming employed with firms solicitors. This latter practi though, will be gravely interfer with if the Solicitors' Bill, now b fore Parliament, becomes law.

The bill, which is backed by three parties, provides that wit out the written permission of t Law Society no solicitor shall e ploy or remunerate any pers who, to the knowledge of such soli itor, is struck off the roll of solici ors or is suspended from practis as a solicitor. Power is given t society to deal with any breach this prohibition, which does not a ply to a solicitor struck off at h own request.

Penalties are provided for a "struck off" person who seeks or a cepts employment with a solicit without disclosing the fact that has been struck off or suspended.

Technical Education And Industry Studi

LONDON, Jan. 11.—That tec nical education could be extend with advantage not only to prod tion, but to selling and distributio that a closer relationship betwe industry and education should be established, and that in some instan the emoluments are not sufficie to attract those best equipped the training of technical school st dents, is the gist of a report present to the Ministry of Education as a sult of an inquiry into the relati ship of technical education to ot forms of education and to indus and commerce. The inquiry conducted by means of questi naires to individual manufactur and to those responsible for the ed cation of young men and wom The report was presented by L Gainford, president of the Fede tion of British Industries, himse a large employer as a coal magna Yorkshire employers take fi place with eighty per cent in taki advantage of the opportunities technical education of their e ployees and in encouraging stude in the local industry. In Lancash only fifteen per cent of the e ployers are thus actively interest

Passenger traffic in the Neth lands during the past season w double that of the previous year.

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Today's Sport Programme

CFCT, Victoria, B.C. (475.9m)—6 a.m., The morning market quotations direct from the B.C. Bond Corporation, Ltd. 1:30 p.m., What's doing in town. 7:10, The closing market quotations by the B.C. Bond Corporation, Ltd.; weather reports and forecast. 7:28, Time signal by Wilkerson, Jeweler; West Coast Information Service and the news, followed by a half hour with the "Fire Fighters," presented by the City of Victoria. 10:30, Stocker's Reliable Order of Night Birds.

NBC, National Broadcasting Company—6-9 p.m., Calpet Hour. Orchestra, selections from "It Happened in Nordland" (Herbert); orchestra, "Monastery Bells" (Lefebure-Wely); tenor solo, Harold Spaulding, "Then You'll Remember Me" (Balfe); orchestra, "Polonaise Militaire" (Chopin); orchestra, "Entr'acte No. 2" from "Rosamonde" (Schubert); orchestra and chorus, "Happy and Light of Heart" (Balfe); orchestra, "Czardas No. 2" (Michleis); orchestra and chorus, "The Bohemian Girl" (Balfe), (a) "Come With the Gypsy Bride," (b) "I Dreamt That I Dwelt," (c) The Heart Bowed Down," (d) "Fair Land of Poland," (e) "Oh, What Full Delight"; orchestra, "Beautiful Lady Waltz" (Caryll); soprano and contralto, Blanchard and O'Dea, "Last Night" (Kerulf); orchestra and chorus, "Firefly" (Friml). 8-8:30, Dodge Bros., Inc. The thirty minutes feature an orchestra of super-soloists, a vocal chorus, a soprano and a male quartette. The only words spoken by the announcer are, "Dodge Brothers present" and the local station call letters. The saxophone will as usual give the "Please Stand By." The detail follows. Quartette, "Chloe"; orchestra and voices, "Four Walls"; comedian, "I Have to Catch Brass Rings on a Merry-Go-Round"; quartette, "Can't You Hear Me Calling, Caroline"; soprano solo, "The Man I Love"; guitar, voices, orchestra, An Old Guitar and an Old Refrain"; quartette, "De Gospel Train"; orchestra and chorus, "Melancholy Baby"; recitation, "Green County." 9:30-10, Moon Music. The Arion Trio, known throughout the West as one of the leading groups of its kind, will play a number of its specially arranged selections. The addition of the Arion Trio to the artists ensemble of this programme is in line with the N.B.C. programme department policy to make of Moon Music one of the outstanding broadcasts of its kind. The virtuoso soloist is Kajetan Attl, premier harpist, whose playing is not only a high-light of the concert stage, but has proven especially beautiful over the air. As usual he will play selections that he has arranged with a view to microphonic presentation. "The Maid of the Moon," in two songs, completes the half hour, details of which are as follows: Introduction, "Moonlight"; Arion Trio, "Andante" (Beethoven), Maid of the Moon, "Wings of Night" (Watts); Arion Trio, "Gavotte, Louis XIII"; harp solo, Kajetan Attl, "A Sketch" (Renie); Arion Trio, "Melodies Mianonnes" (Binding); harp solo, Kajetan Attl, (a) "Lucia de Lammermour" (Donizetti), (b) "Spanish Patrol" (Tedeschi); Maid of the Moon, "A Memory" (Clana); Arion Trio, "Barcarolle" (Tschaikowsky). Closing, "Midnight." The stations broadcasting this programme are KHQ, KOMO, KFOA, KGW, KGO, KPO, KFI.

KTAB, Oakland, Cal. (1240.2m)—4-5 p.m., From Grandfather's Clock. 5-6:45, "Who's Who" hour. 6:45-7:30, Shopping hour. 8-9, Lecture from Mills College. 9-11, KTAB Trio.

KFWM, Oakland, Cal. (236.1m)—3-4 p.m., Musical programme. 6-7, Musical programme. 6-10, Studio musical programme.

KTBR, Portland, Ore. (282.8m)—6-6:50 p.m., Dinner concert. 6:50-7, Road reports and announcements. 6-10:30, Ice hockey games from Ice Coliseum. 10:30 p.m.-12 midnight, Dance music.

KGW, San Jose, Cal. (1296.9m)—5-5:30 p.m., Children's hour. 5:30-6, Sundown Sextette. 6-6:20, Aunt Sammy talk. 6:20-6:30, U.S.D.A. feature articles. 6:30-6:40, U.S.D.A. farm flashes. 6:40-6:50, U.S.D.A. Farm Radio School. 6:50-7, Farmers' exchange. 7-8, California Farm Bureau news. 8-8, San Jose Studio programme.

CNRV, Vancouver, B.C. (1291m)—10-11 a.m., Hour of Music. 10-11 p.m., Dance programme.

KWTC, Santa Ana, Cal. (222.1m)—6-6:30 p.m., Dance hour programme. 6:30-7, Murphy's comedians. 7-8, Classical Trio. 7, Arthur J. Smith, tenor. 8-10, Conservatory of Music.

KGO, Oakland, Cal. (384.4m)—5-5:15 p.m., "Mental Measurement." 5:15-6 p.m., G. W. Ludlow, "Friend to Boys." 6-6:55, Marquard's dinner concert. 6:55-7:23, News, weather, produce, cotton. 8-9, Calpet hour. 9-9:30, Dodge Bros. N.B.C. 9:30-10, N.B.C. programme. 10-11, Dance Orchestra.

KPLA, Los Angeles, Cal. (252m)—4-4:03 Health bulletin, Dr. Geo. Parrish. 4:03-4:30, Records. 4:30-5, The Air Castle. 5-6, Sundown Frolic. 6-7, Programme featuring the White King Quartette. 7-8, Glen Edmunds and his Collegians. 8-8:30, Nunez Trio. 8:30-9, G. E. Roletti, James Mullican. 9-10, Coral Atkin Trio. 10-11, Palais de Dance.

KFRC, San Francisco, Cal. (1454.3m)—4:30-5:30 p.m., Organ recital. 5:30-6, Mac and his Mates. 6:10-6:20, Beauty talk, Mme. Marie. 6:20-6:30, Stage, screen, police reports. 6:30-7, Sports talk by "Bobs." 7-7:30, The Hawaiians with Benny Nelson. 8-9, Mona Motor Oil musical programme. 9:9:45, KFRC Movie Club. 9:45-10, Flying lessons. 10-11, Dance orchestra. 11 p.m.-12 midnight, Balconades Ballroom Orchestra.

KFON, Long Beach, Cal. (1241.8m)—4:4:30 p.m., Late news bulletins and sport events. 4:30-6, Playly Wizaly Concert Orchestra. 6-6:15, Doris and Clarence. 6:15-7, Playly Wizaly Concert Orchestra. 7-8, "Old Time Barn Dance." 8-8:10, Long Beach Municipal Band. 8:10-8:20, Announcements. 8:20-9, Long Beach Municipal Band. 9-10, Masterpiece Programme. 10-11, Majestic Ballroom Orchestra. 11 p.m.-12 midnight, Organ recital, Herbert Nixon.

KLX, Oakland, Cal. (509m)—5:30-6:30 p.m., Brother Bob's Club. 6:30-7, Dinner concert. 7-7:30, News broadcast. 8-10, Dance programme.

KJBS, San Francisco (220m)—8 a.m.-12 noon, Instrumental and vocal selections. 1:30-7:30 p.m., Instrumental and vocal selections. 8-10, Music lovers' programme.

KFI, Los Angeles (468.5m)—5:30 p.m., Vernon Elkins' Dixieland Orchestra. 6:15, Police Commissioner Thorpe. 6:30, Henry Starr, popular pianist and vocalist. 7, Programme by University of Southern California. 8, N.B.C. programme. 9, N.B.C. programme. 9:30, N.B.C. programme. 10, Programme of modern classical music.

KNX, Los Angeles (337m)—4 p.m., Louise Johnson alvins horoscopes. 4:15, Lost and found announcements. 4:25, Market reports. 5, Chet Mittendorf. 5:45, Town Crier's tips. 6, Biltmore Hotel Orchestra. 6:30, Dinner concert. 7, Organ recital. 8, Studio programme. 9, Courtesy programme. 10, Biltmore Hotel Orchestra. 11, Hotel Ambassador Coconut Grove Orchestra.

KFO, San Francisco (423.3m)—4-5 p.m., KFO Concert Orchestra. 5-6, Children's hour by Bla Brother. 6-6:30, Ye Towne Cryer service. 6:30-7, Studio programme. 7-7:15, Art talk by Helen Gordon Barker. 7:15-7:30, Sports-on-the-air. 8-9, N.B.C. programme. 9-10, N.B.C. programme. 10-11, Merton Bories and Bob Allen in two-piano novelties.

KJR, Seattle (348.6m)—4:45-5, p.m., Beauty chat, Dr. E. A. Schilling. 5-5:30, KJR Junior Birthday. 5:30-5:45, Studio programme. 5:45-6, Stock quotations. 6-6:30, Sports, news items, theatre. 6:30-7:30, Vic Meyers' dinner concert. 7:30-8:30, "Fire side Programme." 8:30-10, ABC Chain from KEX. KJR, KOA, featuring operatic stars. 10 p.m.-12 midnight, Vic Meyers' Dance Orchestra.

KEX, Portland, Ore. (1230.9m)—4-5 p.m., Duo-Art concert. 5-6 p.m., Novelty recording concert. 6-6:20, News, sports, announcements. 6:20-6:30, Livestock news and shippers' advice. 6:30-7, Sperry Flour children's hour. 7-8, Herman Kenin's Orchestra. 8-8:30, Studio programme. 8:30-9, ABC Chain broadcast. 10 p.m.-12 midnight, Dance frolic.

KYA, San Francisco (309.1m)—5-5:30 p.m., KYA air circus. 5:30-7, Golden Gate Cryer. 7-7:30, "Week-ending with Chet and Jim." 8-9, Intergational hour with songs and music. 9-10, Popular programme. 10-11, Dance music.

KFSD, San Diego, Cal. (440.9m)—5:45-6, Late news items and sports. 6-7, Musical review. 7-8, San Diego police department programme. 8-9, Unitarian Church concert. 9-10, Ratliff Academy of Dancing. 10-11, Carr Bros.' Orchestra.

KFWI, San Francisco (267.7m)—5-5:30 p.m., Brunswick concert. 5:30-6, Advance construction reports. 6-7, Dinner hour. 7-7:15, Sports review. 7:15-7:30, Hy McClary's art course. 6-8:30, Genevieve Chinn, the Sweetheart of the Air. 8:30-9, Kilhead Players. 9-9:30, Studio programme. 9:30-10, Dance music. 10-10:03, Police reports. 10:03-11, KFWI Gypsy Band.

KOMO, Seattle (306m)—3-4 p.m., Totem Popular Quartette; Eccles Sisters, duets; Sydney Dixon, tenor. 4-5, Rhena Marshall, soprano; Totem Concert Orchestra. 5:15-6, Kiddies' programme. 6-7, News flashes and sports; Totem Concert Orchestra. 7-7:15, Practising Good English. 7:15-8, Totem Concert Orchestra. 8-10, N.B.C. programme. 10-10:30, Totem Concert Orchestra. 10:30-11, Roy Hays, baritone; Totem Concert Orchestra. 11 p.m.-12:30 a.m., Late news flashes; Totem Concert Orchestra.

KFSG, Los Angeles (373.1m)—3:30-4:30 p.m., Vesper hour. 8:30-7:30, Symphony Orchestra. 7:30-8:15, Water baptismal service. 8:15-10, Orey studio programme. 10-11, Organ recital.

KFOA, Seattle (447.5m)—5-6 p.m., Big Brother's children's programme. 6-6:30, Sperry Flour special hour. 6:30-7:30, Concert orchestra. 7:30-8, Popular vocal trio. 8-8, N.B.C. programme. 9-10, N.B.C. programme.

KFBK, Sacramento, Cal. (535.1m)—7:30-8 p.m., Dance music. 8-8:30, Programme featuring Donald Oss, saxophone. 8:30-8, Beth Reynolds, soprano. 9-10, Del White and his orchestra from Dreamland Dance Auditorium.

KFUS, Oakland, Cal. (256.3m)—9-9:40 a.m., Early morning worship hour. 10-11, Health questions.

KPWO, Avalon, Cal. (290.8m)—12:30-2 p.m., Hotel St. Catherine Orchestra. 8:30-8, Hotel St. Catherine Orchestra.

MOUNTAIN TIME STATION

KOA, Denver, Colo. (325.9m)—3-3:30 p.m., Housewives' matinee. 3:30-3:45, Shopping with Betty Dee. 4, Stocks, markets, livestock, produce and news bulletins. 4:25, Road reports.

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PRICE TREND SHIFTS OFTEN

PROFESSIONAL TRADERS INDICATE NERVOUSNESS AND UNCERTAINTY

Morning and Afternoon Rallies Are Checked by Renewed Selling Pressure—Gold Imported

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—Frequent shifting of speculative sentiment in today's stock market was interpreted in Wall Street as revealing the nervousness and uncertainty of professional traders.

An opening rally gave way to a sinking spell before midday, but a strong upturn developed in the afternoon, only to be checked by a renewal of selling pressure in the last half hour. Final quotations were decidedly irregular, gain running as high as seven points and losses as much as five.

Reduction in the call money rate from 4½ to 4 per cent and importation of nearly $10,800,000 in gold from Canada were offset by slightly higher time money rates.

U.S. Steel common, sold down a point to 147¼ after having touched 149 in early trading.

General Motors closed a point lower at 131, and Nash, Dodge Brothers preferred, Packard, Peerless and a few others yielded fractionally, wide fluctuations continued in several of the high priced specialties. Midland Steel Products preferred, which ran up from 105 to 325 last year, dropped from 259½ to 249 and rebounded to 251, off five points net. Greene Cananea Copper, which recently attained a new peak at 151½, closed six points net higher at 135 after selling down to 129¾.

Sixty to ninety days maturity in the time money market were quoted at 4¼ to 4¼ per cent.

In the foreign exchange market sterling cables held round 4.87½. Japanese yen broke thirty-two points to 46.63 cents, and Spanish pesetas sold off nearly ten points to 17.10 cents.

Bonds of the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul Railroad were heavily bought in today's market as a result of the favorable decision on the road's reorganization announced yesterday at the Interstate Commerce Commission. Otherwise the list displayed irregular tendencies, probably reflecting a slight stiffening of time money rates.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—Foreign exchanges steady

France—3.92⅝; cables 3.93⅛
Italy—5.28⅛; cables 5.29
Belgium—13.95
Germany—23.78⅛
Holland—40.25
Norway—20.58
Sweden—26.99
Denmark—26.76
Switzerland—16.26⅛
Spain—17.10
Greece—1.22
Poland—1124
Jugoslavia—1.76⅝
Austria—1411
Rumania—.62
Argentina—42.70
Brazil—12.00
Tokio—46.63
Shanghai—64.50
Montreal—99.81⅛

STERLING EXCHANGE

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—Demand 487⅛; cables 487⅛; sixty-day bills on banks 483⅝

AT VICTORIA

Buying 487⅛; selling 490⅛

All Fractions in Eighths	High	Low	Close
Amr. Aar. pfd	66-0	66	67-4
Allis Chalmers	116-4	116-4	116-4
Allied Chem.	157-4	156-6	155-2
Amerada Corpn.	23	21	22
Am. Can.	72-4	71-1	71-1
Am. Car & Fdy.	108	102	106
Am. For. Power	24-2	23-1	23-1
Am. Locomotive	110-6	109-7	110-2
Am. Smelters	177-0	176	176
Am. Steel Fdy.	70-6	68-2	68-2
Am. Sugar	77-2	76-6	77-2
Am. Sum. Tob.	60-4	60-1	60-4
Am. Tel. & Tel.	179-3	178	178-2
Am. Tobacco	171-7	171-7	171-7
Am. Tobacco B.	172-7	172	172-7
Am. Woolens	22-2	20	22-2
Anaconda	55-5	54-7	55
Armour A.	12	11-4	11-7
Atlantic Gulf	39-4	39-4	39-4
Atlantic Refinery	108-3	106	106-6
Atchison	161-4	160-4	161-3
Baldwin Loco	251	251	251
Baltimore & Ohio	117-4	116-6	116-6
Bangor & Ar'stk	68-6	62	62-4
Bethlehem Steel	58	56-2	56
Brooklyn Manhat.	55	55	55
Bunk Hill & Sulln	147	141	
California Packing	76-4	75-3	75-3
California Pete	26-5	25-6	26-3
Calumet & Ariz.	107-4	104-1	105
Canadian Pacific	212-0	210	210
Cerro De Pasco	67-1	66-4	67-1
Chesapeake & Ohio	201-6	199	200-6
Chile Copper	40-7	40-1	40-5
Chic. Gt. Western	12-6	12-4	12-6
Chic. Mil. & St. P.	10	10-6	12-6
Chic. & Northwest	85-5	85-2	85-2
Chic. R. I. & Pac.	111	106-6	111
Chrysler Motor	58	56-7	57-3
Coca Cola	162-0	131-3	132-4
Colo. Fuel & Iron	79-1	77-2	77-3
Columbia Gas	91-7	91-1	91-4
Cons. Gas	121-4	120-5	121
Cont. Motor	10-7	10-4	10-7
Corn Products	71-4	70-3	70-6
Crucible Steel	68-6	67-6	67-6
Dodge Bros.	21	20-3	20-3
Dodge Bros. pfd.	71-7	70-4	70-4
Dupont Powder	215	212	214-4
Eastman Kodak	166-7	165	166
Eaton Axle	26-1	25	26-0
Elec. Power	26-5	26-3	26-0
Elec. Refrigerator	11-7	11-3	11-5
Erie	64-6	63-3	63-7
Famous Players	115-1	114	114-3
Foundation Co.	48	46-7	46
Fox Film "A"	64	63-1	63-4
Fleischmann Co.	76	66-6	66-6
Freeport, Texas	108-3	106-6	107-3
Gabriel Snubbers	25-7	25-3	25-7
General Am. Tank	64	62-2	63
General Asphalt	91	89-4	89-6
General Cigar	46-6	82	82-4
General Electric	134-2	132-2	133-6
General Motors	135-2	130-4	131-1
General Ry. Signal	121-5	119	119-4
Gold Dust	73-4	72-1	73-1
Goodrich Rubber	93-3	91-6	92-4
Granby	41	40-3	40-6
Great North. Ore	23	22-6	22-6
Great North. pfd	98-1	96-1	98-1
Gt. West Sugar	37-2	36-5	37
Gulf States Steel	51-4	51	51
Houston Oil	151-7	148	148-1
Howe Sound	44	43-6	43-7
Hudson Motor	79-6	77-5	78-1
Hupp Motors	22-4	20-6	21
Illinois Central	131-6	130	131-6
Imperial Oil	58-4	58-4	58-4
Inspiration	10-4	10-4	10-4
Int. Comb. Eng.	52	50-6	51
Int. Harvester	241	237	237-3
Int. Match pfd	106-4	101	101-6
Int. Pete.	38-2	37-4	38-6
Int. Mer. Mar. pfd.	41-4	40-6	40-6
Int. Nickel	96-2	87-7	86
Int. Tel. & Tel.	147-2	145-7	146
Johns Manv.	118-4	116	116-2
Kan. City South.	60-5	60-3	60-6
Kennecott Copper	63	62-3	62-4
Lehigh Valley	63	63	63
Louis. & Nash.	155	153	153
Mack Truck	102-7	101-2	101-2
Manhatten Elec.	56-2	51-1	51-1
Marland Oil	46-6	45-1	46
Merlin-Rockwell	51-2	50-2	50-3
Mid. Cont'nt Pete	30	28-2	29
Miss. Pacific	51-7	50-7	51-4
Miss. Pac. pfd.	118-3	118-1	118-3
Montana Power	103-7	103-7	103-7
Montgomery Ward	124-7	122	123
Motor Wheel	25-6	25-6	25-6
Nash Motors	93-4	92-2	92-2
National Biscuit	167	166-4	167
Natl. Cash Reg.	46-3	46-4	46-6
N.Y. Air Brake	44-5	43-5	44-3
Norfolk & West.	186-6	186-6	186-6
North American	60-6	59-2	59-2
Northern Pacific	96-4	96	96
N.Y. Central	161-7	160-6	161-4
N.Y., N.H. & Hart.	63-4	62-6	63-3
N.Y. Ont. & West.	31	30-4	30-4
Pacific Oil	66-3	65-4	65-4
Pan American B.	45-4	43-4	44-1
Pennsylvania R.R.	65-5	65	65-5
Pere Marquette	152-4	127	127
Phillips Pete	42	41-1	41-4
Pierce Arrow	13-2	13	13
Producers & Ref.	24-5	24-0	24-5
Pullman Co.	82-2	81-7	81-7
Radio	102-7	99	99-6
Reading	104-3	102	102
Rep. Iron & Steel	66-6	66-0	66-0
Royal Dutch	47-4	47-4	47-4
Schultz	52	51-6	51-4
Shattuck Denn	6-0	5-6	5-6
Sears Roebuck	85-7	84-3	85-0
Shell Union	26-4	25-7	25-7
Sinclair Cons.	21-1	20-3	20-3
Southern Pacific	122	121-3	121-4
Southern Railway	143-4	143-4	143-4
Standard Millins	105-4	104	104
Standard Gas	58-5	58-2	58-2
Standard Oil, Cal.	56-6	55-4	55-4
Standard Oil, N.J.	40-1	39-7	40-1
Standard Oil, N.Y.	31-1	30-6	30-7
Stewart Warner	81-2	80-5	81
St. Louis & S. Fran.	114-2	112	113-4
Stromberg Carb.	51	47-4	51
Studebaker	58-0	57-6	57-7
Tennessee Copper	10-6	10-6	10-6
Texas Co.	54-6	54	54-4
Texas Gulf Sulphur	77-7	76	76-4
Texas Pacific R.R.	109-3	107-2	107-6
Texas Pac. C. & O.	15-6	14-6	15-2
Timken Roller	134	130-4	131
Tobacco Prod.	111-1	109	111-1
Union Oil of Calif.	44	43-4	44
Union Pacific	190	188-4	188-4
U.S. Cast I. Pipe	208-4	205	206-4
U.S. Ind. Alco.	109-1	106-1	106-1
U.S. Rubber	60-4	59	59
U.S. Steel	148	146-1	147-2
Underwood Trp.	57	56-4	57
Universal Pipe	25	24	24
Vanadium	64	62-5	63-1
Victor Talk. Mach.	58-4	55	55-3
Wabash	65	64-3	64-3
Westina. Air Brake	51-6	50-6	51
Westina. Elec.	94	91-2	91-4
White Motor	28-2	27-6	27-6
Willys-Overland	18-4	18	18
Woolworth	184-6	182-1	182-1
Wright Aer. Cpn.	81-6	78-6	78-6
Yale Towne	24	23	23
Yngston Sh. & Tu.	90-4	85-7	86-4
Yel. Trk. & Coach	26-1	24-3	24-3
Grenby Cananea	130-4	129-4	135-6
Natl. Dry. Prod.	70-6	69-3	69-3

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CHICAGO, Jan. 11.—Wheat market was lower on scattered selling earlier, but good support was encountered on the break which absorbed the offerings and when shorts attempted to cover later they were forced to bid prices up in order to get their wheat back. Strength in corn had some effect on local sentiment and an oversold condition was developed on the way down. There was a better demand for red Winter wheat with bids of seven cents over May for No. 2 grades in store and spot premiums were two to three cents higher. Export demand at the seaboard was reported as somewhat better, but sales were not large. Dry weather reports continue to come in from Western Kansas. We still favor sales of wheat.

Corn: There was rather general selling of corn at the outset and price declines around one cent under the previous close. There was a good class of buying on the breaks, however, and a better cash demand report caused shorts to cover freely. We are still bearish on corn.

Liverpool due 5-8 to 3-4 higher.

Wheat—	Open	High	Low	Close
March	137⅝	138	137⅛	138⅝
May	128⅛	130¼	128⅛	130
July	125	126	124⅝	125⅝
Corn—				
March	85⅝	88	85⅝	87⅝
May	89⅛	91⅝	89¼	91⅜
July	91⅛	93½	91⅛	93
Oats—				
May	54⅛	56⅛	54	55⅛
Rye—				
May	107⅝	109	107½	109

Calgary Oil Stocks

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd., by direct private wire)

Advance	19	
Alberta Pacific Cons.	18½	.08
Illinois Alberta	28½	
McDougall Segur	30	
McLeod		1.35
Mill City	28½	.25
Moose Mountain	16	
Okalta pfd.	20.00	
Turner Valley	28	
Royalite	20.50	
United	52	
McDougal Segur (new)	43½	

FOREIGN BONDS

Argentine 6's, 1957	106¼	106⅜
Austrian 7's, 1943	103½	103¾
Belgium 7's, 1955	106⅝	107⅛
Chile 8's, 1960	92⅝	92⅝
French 7's, 1949	106⅛	106⅜
French 7½'s, 1941	118½	118⅝
French 6's, 1945	110⅝	110⅝
German 7's, 1949	106⅜	107
Italy 7's, 1951	89	89⅛

NEW YORK SUGAR

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—The raw sugar market was quiet and unchanged early today at 4.58 Cuban, duty paid, with no sales reported locally. One sale of 46,000 bags at that figure was reported for January shipment to an outport refiner. There was no change in the refined sugar situation, prices continuing at 5.80 for fine granulated, with demand only moderate.

Victoria Stock Exchange

MINING	Bid	Asked
B.C. Silver	1.30	..
Dunwell	22	..
Goldsmith		10
Granby	40.00	
Howe Sound	43.50	
Independence Gold		13
Indian Mines	09	
L. & L. Glacier		.18
Lakeview	.04½	.06
Leadsmith	.04½	.05½
Lucky Jim	49	.05
Marmot Metals	11	.13
National Silver	23	25
Porter Idaho	41	
Premier Gold	2.66	2.30
Reinmund	.16	.20
Rufus	.04	.05½
Ruth Hope		.02
Selkirks		.06
Silverado		1.00
Silverseal	.10	.11½
Silvarmith	.21	.23½
Sunloch		1.75
Terminus	.21	.22
Cork Province		.29
George Copper	2.80	0.85
Georgia Copp. (buyer 60)	2.90	
MISCELLANEOUS		
B.C. Telephone	105.00	107.00
B.C. Elec. P. & G.	105.50	
Caulfield Brooker		15.50
Gloney Roofing	100.00	103.00
Slocan King	.10	12½
Goleonda	.75	.80
LOCAL CURB STOCKS		
Argenta	.24	.30
Pend Oreille	4.75	9.50
Kootenay F.	..	.27
Whitewater		2.50
Big Missouri		.45
Woodbine	.31	

SALES

2,000 Galdsmith at .06¾; 1,000 Independance at .16; 500 Indian at .10; 800 at .10½; 700 at .10¼, 800 Lakeview at .04¼; 2,000 at .04¾; 2,000 at .04¼, 1,000 at .04¾; 2,000 at .03½; 16,000 at .03¾; 16,000 at .04¼; 6,000 at .04¾, 5,000 at .04½; 5,000 at .04; 5,000 Leadsmith at .05¾; 2,000 Marmot Metals at .11½; 1,500 Porter-Idaho at .42, 400 Richmond at .17; 1,000 at .16, 1,000 Rufus at .04¼; 500 at .04¾; 5,000 Silkirks at .04¾; 5,000 Silvercrest at .10; 1,000 at .11½; 500 at .11; 1,000 Silversmith at .22¾; 2,000 at .22½; 1,000 Terminus at .20, 1,000 at .20; 1,000 at .22; 1 B.C. Electric at $106; 1,000 Woodbine at .56; 25 Georas at $.80; 400 at $.80; 100 at 2.65; 100 at 2.90; 1,100 Goldcndia at .73; 1,500 at .74; 500 at .75; 100 at .76½; 300 at .76¾; 100 Pend Orinlia at 4.85; 400 Whitewater at 2.35; 500 at 2.36; 1,000 Terminus at .20; 1,000 at .20½; 1,000 at .21.

MONTREAL STOCKS

(All Fractions in Eighths)

	High	Low	Close
Imp. Tobacco	9-6	9-5	9-5
Abitibi	148	140-4	142
Asbestos	34	33	33
Asbestos pfd.	99-4	98-4	98-4
Atlantic Sugar	24	23-4	24
Bell Telephone	158	157-4	158
Brazilian Trac.	218-4	215-0	215-4
B.C. Fish & Pack.	10-4	10-4	10-4
Brompton Paper	58-0	51	51
Can. Cement com.	31-4	31	31-2
Celanese Com.	77	77	77
Celeness pfd.	102	102	102
Can Car Fdy com.	47	47-7	48
Can Car Fdy pfd.	92-4	92-4	92-4
Can. S.S. com.	35	35	35
Can. S.S. pfd.	80	80-6	80-6
Can. Converters pfd.	102	102	102
Can. Ind. Alcohol	37	37	37
Cone M. & S.	253	251	252
Dominion Bridge	74	72-4	74
Dominion Glass	126-1	126-1	126-1
Dominion Textile	161	133	136
Howard Smith	78	71	78
Lake of Woods Mls.	167	167	167
Laurentide Co.	125	117	126
Mackey Co.	119-4	118-4	119-4
Massey Herris	41-6	41-2	41-6
Montreal Power	66-6	66	66
National Breweries	114	112	116-4
Ogilvie Mlg. Co.	410	400	
Ottawa Power	134	134	134
Penmans Ltd.	100-4	100-2	100-4
Shawinigan	90	88	88
Spanish River Pulp pfd.	145	145	145
Steel of Canada	88	183	183
Twin City Elec.	50-4	50-4	50-4
Winnipeg Elec.	98	98	98

VANCOUVER EXCHANGE

VANCOUVER, Jan. 11. Today's quotations on the Vancouver Stock Exchange were

	Bid	Asked
B.C. Silver	1.30	
Berryiew		.07½
Boundary Red Mountain		.08
Big Missouri	.41	.42
Coast Copper	46.00	47.50
Cork Province	.25½	.26
Dunwell	.25½	.29
Gladstone	.18½	.19
Independence	.13	.14
Indian Mines	.09	.10
International Coal	.35	
L. & L.	.04	.04½
Lakeview	.06	.06½
Leadsmith	.15	.15
National Silver (G.B.)	19½	.20
Premier	2.29	2.30
Porter-Idaho	.41	.42
Pend Oreille	4.75	5.00
Rufus	.24½	.26
Ruth Hope	.47½	
Richmond	.08½	.21
Silverado	.78	.80
Sunloch	1.60	1.61
Selkirks	.04½	
Silver Crest		.07
Silversmith	.20½	.23½
Terminus		.22
Toric Mines	3.80	4.00

MORNING SALES

20,000 Arsenic at .03; 400 at .08; 6,000 Lucky Jim at .36½; 1,000 at .40; 1,000 Dunwell at .24; 1,000 Rufus at .24½; 4,500 at .23; 200 Premier at 2.29; 1,100 at 2.30; 11,000 Selkirks at .04¾; 3,000 at .04½; 500 Richmond at .18; 2,500 at .18½; 1,000 at .16; 1,000 L. & L. at .18¾; 300 Porter-Idaho at .41; 1,500 at .41½; 700 at .42; 500 Silversmith at .22; 400 at .23½; 1,000 Cork Province at .24; 4,000 at .25; 4,000 at .25½; 3,000 at .26; 200 National Silver (G.B.) at .18; 11,000 at .18½; 2,000 at .20; 4,000 at .21; 1,000 at .20; 3,000 Gladstone at .16; 1,000 Steean King at .14; 5,000 Lakeview at .03½; 20,000 at .04; 1,000 at .04½; 1,000 Kootenay Florence at .33½; 2,000 at .03¾, 4,300 at .04; 3,500 at .03; 500 at .03¾; 1,000 at .03½; 5,000 at .26; 200 Whitewater at 2.20; 500 at 2.21; 650 at 2.20; 300 at 2.23; 300 at 2.24; 600 at 2.25; 2,400 Big Missouri at .40½; 2,000 at .41; 5,500 at .41½; 500 at .41¾; 2,700 at .42; 300 at .42½; 6,000 Independence at .12¾; 7,500 at .13; 2,500 at .12¾; 300 at .13½; 1,000 Glassair at .20; 2,000 at .04; 100 Georas Copper at 2.90; 50 Pend Oreille at 4.80; 700 at 4.75; 200 Goleonda at .74, 100 Home Oil at 2.05; 400 at 2.06; 300 at 2.07; 2,500 International Coal at .35; 10,000 Indian at .10; 500 Terminus at .19; 10,000 Bayview at .07; 6,000 at .07¼; 7,000 at .07½; 1,000 at .07¾; 68,000 at .07¾; 5,000 B-80 at .04; 400 Sunloch at 1.50; 300 at 1.57; 500 at 1.58; 500 at 1.60; 1,000 Ruth Hope at .44, 500 at .48; 1,300 at .47; 2,500 at .43; 1,000 at .49

AFTERNOON SALES

2,000 Marmot at .12; 30,000 Selkirks at .04½; 15,000 at .04¾; 5,000 at .04¾; 500 Goleonda at .73½; 1,000 at .74; 3,000 at .77; 900 at .77½; 1,300 Kootenay Florence at .35; 1,100 Whitewater at .04; 3,000 at 2.25; 50 Coast Copper at 45.00; 200 at 46.00; 14,400 Lakeview at .04; 3,000 at .04½; 300 Dunwell at .24¼; 600 at .25; 1,000 Lucky Jim at .36; 500 at .35½; 500 at .35; 1,000 at .35½; 3,000 Slocan King at .13; 4,000 at .16; 1,500 Ruth Hope at .47; 2,000 at .47½; 1,000 at .48; 2,000 Cork Province at .25½; 1,000 at .26; 500 Big Missouri at .41; 3,500 at .41½; 2,000 at .42; 1,000 Porter-Idaho at .41; 1,500 at .41½; 2,426 Pend Oreille at 4.75; 6.00 Silver Crest at .06¾; 13,000 at .07; 800 B.C. Silver at 1.40; 100 Sunloch at 1.58; 100 at 1.60; 1,600 Glassair at .21; 2,000 at .07¼; 2,500 at .08; 1,000 at .08½; 10,000 Independence at .13; 3,000 British Petroleum at .80; 6,000 at .85½; 200 Georas Copper at 3.00; 1,000 Leadsmith at .06¾; 6,000 at .06½; 1,500 Rufus at .24½; 1,000 at .25; 500 L. & L. at .18; 200 at .17; 7,000 National Silver (G.B.) at .19¾; 5 Home Oil at 2.06; 1,000 Gladstone at .16

VANCOUVER WHEAT

VANCOUVER, Jan. 11—Wheat quotations

	Spot	En route
No. 1 Northern	147¾	147¾
No. 2 Northern	141¾	141¾
No. 3 Northern	129⅝	129¾
No. 4 wheat	119⅝	118¾
No. 5 wheat	104¾	104¾
No. 6 wheat	94⅝	94⅝
Feed	89¾	89¾

Screenings unquoted

C.N.R. Earnings

MONTREAL, Jan. 11.—Gross earnings of the Canadian National Railways, exclusive of the Eastern lines and the Central Vermont Railway, for the week ending January 7, 1928 were $3,777,807, as compared with $3,739,830 for the same week of 1927, an increase of $38,077, or one per cent.

Re-elected President Of Chamber of Mines

VANCOUVER, Jan. 11.—Alderman F. E. Woodside was re-elected president of the British Columbia Chamber of Mines at the annual meeting Tuesday night. Other officers are: Honorary president, Hon. William Sloan, Minister of Mines; honorary vice-presidents included Lieut.-Colonel Charles Villiers, Victoria.

Winnipeg Grain Letter

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

WINNIPEG, Jan. 11.—The wheat displayed a somewhat better tone today. Opening prices were about unchanged but declined fractionally with a little further liquidation in evidence, but there was sufficient buying power to hold the market, and later shorts were covering and all the time there was some buying for seaboard houses, resulting in a price recently of one cent from the early dips. The spreading today was largely buying the October against sales at Chicago, and a little selling of May and buying Winnipeg July, and the spread narrowed between these two months.

There was some export business worked overnight, but the volume was only moderate. While total trade volume was not large, the offerings were very scarce after the first half hour.

European requirements are understood not to be large, but North America supplies are ample and foreigners are not aggressive buyers. Until they begin to take wheat more freely, think it will be impossible to hold rallies, and there will be very little to the bull side of wheat until later on when we enter the usual crop scare period on the Winter wheat.

Liverpool closed 5-8 lower fairly well following our decline of yesterday. B.A. holds steady with a good Continental demand and some rains reported. The export business today was for shipment out of Vancouver. Canadian wheat now at American and Canadian ports in position for quick shipment totals 37,806,549 bushels. There was a little better demand for cash wheat today, millers being in the market, and also terminals. Spreads were unchanged to 1-2 cent better offerings being small.

Coarse grains: These markets were all strong and higher today. There was a good demand for oats and some export business working in barley. Rye was dull, but this market followed the trend of wheat. Offerings were light. There was also a little short covering. Oats closed ¾ to ⅞ up; barley 1⅛ to 1 cent higher, and rye about 1 cent higher.

Flax: This market was also strong, especially in the deferred futures in anticipation of a decrease in acreage this year. Friendly to this market and, while crushers are not showing much into offerings are very scarce.

FUTURES

Wheat	Open	High	Low	Close
July	134⅝	135⅝	134⅝	135⅛
May	125	126	124⅝	125⅝
Oct.	126⅝	127½	126⅝	127¼
Oats				
July	61⅝	62⅝	61⅞	62⅝
May	63¾	64	63⅝	64
Oct.	55⅝	56⅝	55⅝	56⅝
Rye				
May	108½	107½	106½	107½
Oct.	66⅝	67⅝	66⅝	67⅝
Barley				
July	83⅝	84⅝	83⅝	84⅝
May	86⅝	87⅝	86⅝	87⅝
Oct.	74	75¼	74	75¼
Flax				
July	192½	193½	192½	193¾
May	188½	190⅝	189½	190⅝

CASH GRAINS

Wheat—1 N., 141⅞; 2 N., 136⅝; 3 N., 122⅛; No. 4, 111⅝; No. 5, 98⅝; No. 6, 89⅝; feed, 81⅞; track, 135⅞.

Oats—2 C.W., 61½; 3 C.W., 58; extra 1 feed, 59; 1 feed, 55¼; 2 feed, 52½; rejected, 51⅜; track, 61.

Barley—3 C.W., 82¼; 4 C.W., 79⅛; rejected, 79½; feed, 77⅝; track, 82½.

Flax—1 N.W., 183⅛; 2 C.W., 179⅛; 3 C.W., 162⅝; rejected, 152⅝; track, 183⅝.

Rye—1 C.W., 101⅛.

TORONTO MINES

(Supplied by Branson, Brown & Co., Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Aconda	38	
Argonaut	.03	
Berry Hollinger	1.15	
Beaver	2.05	
C. Kirkland	.06	
Dome	13.00	
Gold Hill	.06	
Granada Rouyn	.22	
Kirkland Lake	2.53	
Level Quebec	.21	
Premier	2.27	
Ribago	.33	
Teck Hughes	10.15	
Tough Oakes	.74	
Wright Hargreaves	5.80	5.90
Amity	.38	
Bedford Mines	.41	
Capital Rouyn	.15½	
Central Man. Mines	1.78	
Jackson Manning	.80	
McDougall Mines	.58	
Sylvanite	2.05	
Treadwell Yukon	26.00	
Howey	1.66	
San Antonio	.58½	
Night Hawk	.04½	
Pioneer Mines	.60	

VICTORY AND WAR LOANS

VICTORY LOAN, 5½%—TAX FREE

Interest due—	Buy	Sell
1933, 1st May & Nov	106.30	106.55
1937, 1st June & Dec	110.80	111.05

WAR LOAN, 5%—TAX FREE

1931, 1st Apr. & Oct.	102.50	102.75
1937, 1st May & Sept. (Payable New York)	106.40	106.65

VICTORY LOAN, 5½%

1933, 1st May & Nov	104.20	104.45
1934, 1st May & Nov	105.40	105.65

DOMINION LOAN

1926, 15th Apr. & Oct., 5½	100.50	100.75
1943, 15th Apr. & Oct., 6%	105.75	106.00
1940, 1st Mar. & Sept., 4½%	102.40	102.65
1944, 15th Apr. & Oct., 4½%	102.45	102.65
1946, 1st Feb. & Aug., 4½%	102.70	102.95
1934, 1st Feb. & Aug. (C.N.R.), 5%		Mkt
1957, 1st Jan. & July (C.N.R.), 4½%		Mkt

Add accrued interest to date.

1937, 41 days, 61¢ per $100
1942, 1643, 1934, 71 days, 1.07¢ per $100
1929, 1943, 86 days, 1.30¢ per $100
1944, 90 days, 1.08¢ per $100
1946, 182 days, 2.09¢ per $100

Brokerage rate on Victory and War Loans ⅛ of 1%

SILVER MARKETS

LONDON, Jan. 11.—Bar silver, 26½d per ounce.

AT NEW YORK

NEW YORK, Jan. 11.—Bar silver, 57⅞. Mexican dollars, 44⅛.

VANCOUVER MARKET

VANCOUVER, Jan. 11.—A sensational drop in the price of eggs has occurred on the Vancouver market, the wholesale price of fresh extras being marked down 6 cents from 41 to 35 cents a dozen.

Heavy stocks of eggs which under ordinary conditions would be moving to Eastern Canada are said to be held in Vancouver.

Wholesale Row

(Revised January 10, 1928)

EGGS	
Fresh Extras, doz.	.65
Fresh Firsts, doz.	.53
Pullets, Extras, doz.	.31
BUTTER	
Best, cartons	.64
Prints	.63
Dairy solids	.60
Dairy prints	.59
CHEESE	
B.C. large, lb.	.21½
B.C. Twins, lb.	.22
B.C. Triplets, lb.	.23½
Alberta solids, lb.	.22
Ontario Stilton, lb

Important Notices, Employment, Business and Professional Directory, Wants, Etc.

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1 BIRTHS

ROBINSON—To Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Robinson, of 1020 Hecten Street, at the Victoria Private Hospital, on January 11, a daughter.

2 DEATHS

BUSHBY—On January 10, at Haikin House, Cheltenham, England, Agnes, infant of the late Hon. A. T. Bushby, aged eighty-seven years.

FLEMING—In this city, on Tuesday, January 10, Albert Fleming, aged sixty-two years. The late Mr. Fleming was a resident of Ottawa, Ontario, for many years, and had resided here for the past three years. He is mourned by two sisters, of this city, Miss Marion Fleming and Miss Frances Fleming, also two married daughters living in eastern Canada.

The funeral will take place from McCall Brothers Funeral Home, corner of Johnson and Vancouver Streets, on Friday afternoon at 2.30 o'clock. Rev. A. de B. Owen will conduct the service, after which interment will be made at Royal Oak Burial Park.

FUNERAL NOTICE

Members of the Pro Patria Branch of the Canadian Legion, B.E.S.L., are requested to attend the funeral of our late comrade, C. E. Billsborough, at the Sands Funeral Parlor, on Friday, at 3 o'clock.

H. P. THORPE, Secretary

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10 COMING EVENTS

ALEXANDRA HALL DANCE SATURDAY night; Hunt's Orchestra. Admission 50c and 50c.

10 COMING EVENTS (Continued)

CARNIVAL DANCE, COLWOOD HALL, Friday, January 13th, 8 p.m. Five tombola prizes. Auspices Canadian Legion.

C.P.R. SOCIAL CLUB DANCE, EMPRESS Hotel Ballroom, January 12th, 8.30-12. Osard's Orchestra. 50 cents.

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13 WANTED—MALE HELP

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OAK BAY

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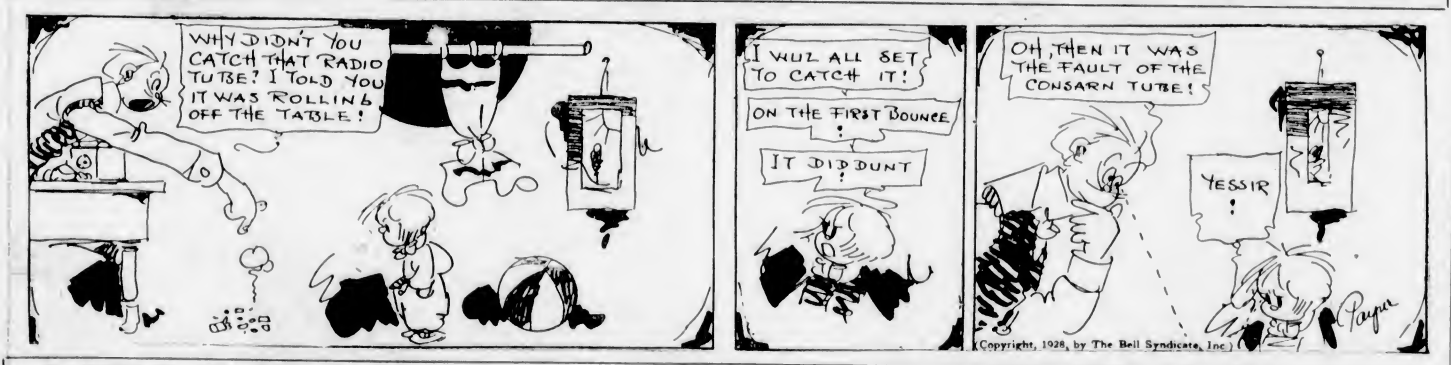
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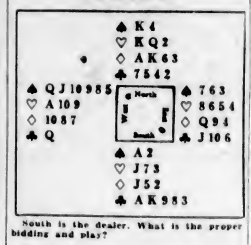


SOUND AUCTION BRIDGE

By WILBUR C. WHITEHEAD

The World's Greatest Authority

HAND NO. 31



South is the dealer. What is the proper bidding and play?

Each day we shall publish a complete hand presented by Mr. Whitehead, together with a chart upon which the bidding and play may be noted. These hands may be played with cards by one, two, three or four players before filling in the chart.

Tomorrow we shall publish Mr. Whitehead's explanation of today's hand, with the important features emphasized.

Fill out your own chart and compare it tomorrow with Mr. Whiteheads' method. Do this each day and carefully read Mr. Whitehead's explanation, and you will find that your knowledge of the game will progress rapidly. Compare your bidding and play with that of your friends—the comparison may be illuminating.

Record the bids that each player should make, assuming that he does not see any of the other hands.

THE PLAY

Tricks	South	West	North	East	Won by N S	Won by E W
1						
2						
3						
4						
5						
6						
7						
8						
9						
10						
11						
12						
13						
	Total Tricks Won					

(Bracket the card led to each trick)

Declarer ..... Opponents .....

Point Score .....

Honor Score .....

THE BIDDING

South Bids	West Bids	North Bids	East Bids

Final Bid ..... Played by .....

These hands must not be bid or played "Double Dummy," i.e., as though all four hands were exposed.

NOTE—In recording the Auction, or the play, use "S" for Spades, "H" for Hearts, "D" for Diamonds, and "C" for Clubs. Use "NT" for No Trumps, "DBL" for double, "REDBL" for redouble.

Yesterday's Hand as Played by Mr. Whitehead

HAND NO. 30

The Correct Bidding and Play

THE PLAY

(Bracketed card shows lead to each trick)

Tricks	South	West	North	East	Won by N S	Won by E W
1	(SK)	SA	S2	S3		1
2	H5	(HQ)	H3	HA		1
3	HK	H6	H4	(H2)	1	
4	(SQ)	S4	DK	S5	1	
5	(SJ)	S8	D5	S7	1	
6	(C6)	C2	C10	CQ		1
7	C4	C5	C3	(CK)		1
8	C7	DA	D6	(D4)		1
9	C8	(CA)	D8	D2		1
10	C9	(CJ)	D9	H7		1
11	S6	H8	D10	(HQ)		1
12	S9	D3	DJ	(HT)		1
13	S10	D7	DQ	(H10)		1
	Total Tricks Won				3	10

Declarer ..... Opponents .....

Point Score ..... 32 .....

Honor Score ..... 80 .....

THE BIDDING

South Bids	West Bids	North Bids	East Bids
1 S	1 NT	2 D	2 H
2 S	3 H	4 D	4 H
Pass	Pass	Pass	

Final Bid 4 H Played by East

Salient Points of the Bidding

North bids Diamonds over West's No Trump, not only to deny South's Spades, but because his long Diamond suit, with no re-entry, although powerful enough to justify its bid over a No Trump, offered no playing defence against an adverse No Trump. The subsequent bidding follows along normal lines and requires no comment.

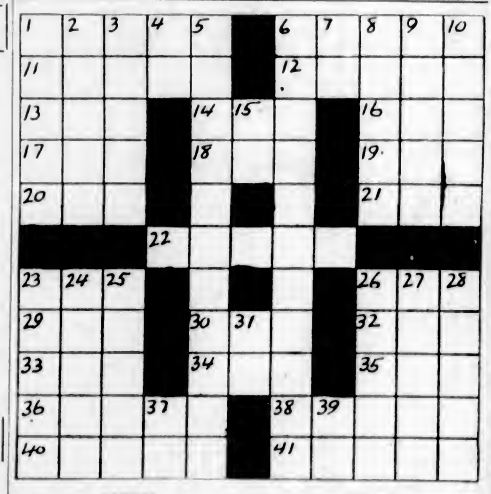
Salient Points of the Play

Trick 1.—In counting his probable losers, East sees clearly that he can go game by conceding the adversaries a Heart and two Spade tricks, as he can discard his losing Diamond on a good Club in Dummy.

Trick 2.—Thoughtless play here would have been followed by disastrous results. Had East finessed, South, upon winning, would have led two high Spades, upon which North could have discarded his two Clubs. North's ruff of a club, followed by South's ruff of a Diamond would have made East's rout complete. The contract would have been set two tricks.

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The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle



ACROSS

1. A lace frill.
6. Less common.
11. Use wrongly.
12. Wear away.
13. Son of Noah.
14. Resinous substance.
16. Centre.
17. Snake.
18. Bird.
19. Collection of facts.
20. Mohammedan ruler.
21. Girl's name.
22. Attempted.
23. Existed.
26. Cry of a cat.
29. West Indian witchcraft.
30. Edible seed.
32. Man's name.
33. Crash.
34. Head covering.
35. Put on.
36. Pilfered.
38. Rub out.
40. Male singer.
41. Quantities of medicine.

DOWN

1. Mohammedan religious war.
2. Lower.
3. Rough.
4. A bone.
5. One who transmits messages.
6. Regained health.
7. Metric unit.
8. Inhabitant of Italy.
9. Poetic name of Edinburgh.
10. Fortification.
15. Morning (ab.).
23. Least desirable.
24. Cease.
25. Man's name.
26. Famous king.
27. Toothed irregularly.
28. Lessens.
31. God of Babylon.
37. Behold
39. International language.

ANSWER TO YESTERDAY'S PUZZLE

W	E	S	T	W	O	P	R	O	D	
E	R	I	E	O	R	R	O	S	E	
N	O	P	A	R	N	I	P	S	A	
T	S	A	R	S	I	D	E	A	L	
P	U	L	S	E	S	E	A	M	S	
A	S	I	D	E	C	R	A	S	H	
D	E	N	I	M	R	A	D	I	O	
O	S	E	R	E	A	N	D	N	M	
S	L	A	G	E	N	T	O	T	E	
E	S	S	E	R	E	S	O	O	N	

Health and Diet Advice

By DR. FRANK McCOY

LAW—NOT LUCK!

It is thought that the fear of ill-luck on Friday the 13th originated from someone who noticed that in the Bible story of "The Last Supper" there were thirteen at the table.

The other night at a dinner party given by a friend there were twelve guests, and so the hostess, who would have made the thirteenth at the table, ate her dinner from the sideboard. She is a lady of an exceptionally fine mind, and I would rate her as being one of the most intelligent women with whom I am acquainted. Yet she considered that there was some black magic about the number "13."

It is not always the ignorant or uneducated who are superstitious. I have known many keen-minded men who would not walk under a standing ladder, and were fearful when a black cat crossed the road in front of them. It is true there may be some danger in walking under a ladder if the workman above should carelessly drop a hammer or a pail of paint, or if the black cat crosses in front of your machine when you are going fast; you may turn your car over in trying to keep from killing the cat.

If we ever make a change in the calendar, as recently proposed, making thirteen months in place of twelve, the superstitious ones will have a nervous time of it during that last month.

There is no "chance" which marks the sparrow's fall or controls the rising and falling of the tides. The sparrow drops from the well-directed shot of the skillful marksman and the tides change because of the magnetic pull from the moon.

Those who are sick in body or mind have reached that condition because they have lived a certain way. Many would like to blame it on Providence, but sooner or later the sick man must realize that he has only himself to blame if he does not live in accordance with the fixed laws of nature.

The Intelligence which created this universe has arranged it so that there can be perfect harmony everywhere, including a perfect co-ordination of all bodily functions.

One who sticks his hand in a buzz-saw need not blame the inventor of the saw or the engineer of the factory. Saws are made for a certain work, and a whirling saw should not be investigated by the fingers.

The human stomach was apparently created as a digestive organ, and not for a garbage pail. Certain foods either digest well or they do not. If one uses inharmonious conglomerations of food, he must not blame his stomach or his Creator for the consequences.

We have the moral teachings of the Bible for our spiritual guidance, and countless thousands have written health books with more or less inspiration. My efforts in this column are to give to my readers what I have discovered regarding Nature's laws.

Correspondents wishing to communicate with Dr. McCoy are advised that his address is Builders Exchange Building, Los Angeles, California, U.S.A.

Cat Meat Items Stricken From French Budget

PARIS, Jan. 6.—The economy campaign of Finance Minister Poincare will eliminate the item "rat-catching cats" from the budgets of the various ministries this year. The Government's fiscal experts are now trying to decide whether cheese as bait for mouse traps will be cheaper as a protection against rodents which eat up the archives and even more valuable documents in the musty storehouses.

For years and years the annual budgets of various ministries have included solemn allocations for "maintenance of cats," providing for the upkeep of a staff of pussy cats and molly bruisers to patrol the bureaus and drive off the rats. Despite the feline protection, it was estimated that hundreds of thousands of francs of government bonds, treasury notes and other valuable documents were destroyed by rodents annually.

This year the Finance Minister determined to slash every sou from the national budget which is not vital, and has announced that beginning with his own domain and extending through all the government departments he won't stand for any more cat meat items.

Loud protests came from the various ministries, the strongest from subchiefs in his own vast building, The Louvre, which also houses the famous museum. It was stated that hordes of rats which pass the day in the museum end of the building gallop into the finance ministry at night for elaborate meals of 1,000-franc notes, topped off with government defence bonds as dessert.

"Get rat traps," replied M. Poincare.

"But you must load them with something, and bait in the form of cheese every night will cost more than the food we have been giving the cats," was the answer.

"Bait the traps with canceled bank notes, since they like to eat money so well," replied the Premier.

Meantime, certain butchers who had the contracts for providing the government with cat meat are weeping and wailing and complaining of the stringent economic policy of M. Raymond Poincare.

Unmarried—"Your wife seems to be nursing a grievance."

Married—"Yes, it's teething, and keeps us awake all night."

COLONIST DAILY COMIC FEATURE



S'MATTER POP? - - - The Disappearing Hand - - - By C. M. PAYNE

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DISCIPLINE OF BAR NECESSARY

SIR JAMES AITKINS CONFERS WITH BENCHERS OF ONTARIO SOCIETY

Unprofessional Conduct at Present Goes Without Penalty in Most Instances

TORONTO, Jan. 11.—The problem of a Dominion-wide system of discipline for erring members of the legal profession became of immediate interest to Ontario today with the arrival in the city of Sir James Aikens, a former lieutenant-governor and former chief justice of Manitoba. The question is engaging the whole of Sir James' energies at the present time and is taking him on a tour of all the Canadian provinces. He conferred in Toronto with the benchers of the law society on the Ontario aspect of the proposal.

The question of discipline has been recognized by the legal profession for some time as one which had been faced, but it has been left for Sir James Aikens, since his retirement from the presidency of the Canadian Bar Association, to work it out. At the present time the only penalty which can be evoked against a lawyer is to have him stricken from the roll of the bar. This penalty is so drastic, since it deprives the offender of his livelihood, as to be rarely invoked.

Archibald could scarcely be called a brilliant boy, and try as he might, he could not find himself a situation. After the first interview, prospective employers always turned him down.

At last, however, Archibald conceived an excellent plan. He offered his services free for a month. The offer was immediately accepted by a gentleman of Semitic upbringing.

The month expired, and Archibald nervously asked for a "rise."

"Vell, vat is your present pay?" asked his employer.

"Nothing, sir," said Archibald.

"Vell"—his employer contemplated him a moment—"your wages are doubled."



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Tumble in from school,
And want a bite,
It means
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That will give them
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In British Columbia Court of Appeal

Rex. vs. Chin Sak—The defendant Chinaman has undergone a varied experience with British Columbia courts, yesterday being the sixth and, doubtless, the last time. According to the records of the Immigration Department, he first came to Canada in the year 1910. He returned to China in 1920 and re-entered in 1921, after about a year's absence. The department was of the opinion that in reality he didn't come back in 1921, but that another man (this one) impersonated him, and that Chin Sak is still in China. He was eventually brought before the immigration authorities in 1925, when just returned from another trip to China, and was ordered to be deported, after an appeal to the courts against the order of deportation. He appealed to the Court of Appeal, which, last October, set aside the deportation proceedings.

Application, however, had already been made to a judge of the Supreme Court by the department for cancellation of the man's certificate of entry, but this was refused.

Yesterday the department endeavored to get around the difficulty by application to the Court of Appeal for leave to appeal to the Supreme Court of Canada from this ruling, the submission being that the Government merely sought a final ruling on some sections of the Immigration Act dealing with deportation proceedings.

The court, through the Chief Justice, intimated that this step had the appearance of pursuing a man whose certificate of entry had been declared valid by the courts and had been set at liberty. Suppose the Crown's submissions were agreed to by the Supreme Court of Canada, had that court the power to order the man to be rearrested?

Mr. M. B. Jackson, K.C., who made the application, replied that the case of this Chinaman was a mere incident; what the department required was a final ruling on procedure.

The court, however (Mr. Justice Martin dissenting), refused the application, and Chin Sak continues to enjoy his liberty.

Mr. O'Halloran represented the respondent.

The Canadian Bank of Commerce v. Lanken (Millard, garnishee; International Junk Co., Ltd., claimant)—This was an appeal by the claimant from an order of Mr. Justice Morrison, in an action on a promissory note. Plaintiff obtained judgment for $1,509.34 in default of defence. A garnishee order was made on August 3, and on September 16 the garnishee paid $995 into court. There were four claimants for this money, and Justice Murphy directed that they file such material as was necessary in support of their claims and let the issue be tried. Finally, Justice Morrison made an order directing that the $995 paid into court be paid out to the plaintiff. This was on November 29. On December 23 the solicitors for the International Junk Company wrote to the plaintiff's solicitors that they would accept $720 in settlement, each party to pay its own costs. This letter was not, owling to the hilidays, received until December 27, and on January 4 a cheque was sent to the solicitors for the Junk Company and consenting to the offer. In the meantime the solicitors for the Junk Company had done certain work in connection with steps toward an appeal from Mr. Justice Morrison's order.

A preliminary objection was taken on the point that a settlement had been reached, and, therefore, there was no need for an appeal. This was overruled, the Chief Justice dissenting and the appeal proceeded with. Argument was completed and judgment reserved.

Mr. J. A. MacInnes for appellant, Mr. Ghent Davis for respondent.

In re estate of George Keyes and in re estate of Sadie Keyes—This is an interesting case concerning what is known as reciprocal, or husband and wife wills. The husband and wife made wills in 1925 in virtually the same terms, the husband leaving everything to his wife, but in the event of her predeceasing him be directed that, "it is my wish that the estate be divided in the following manner," then naming a number of beneficiaries. The will of the wife, made on the same date, followed the same form. The wife died on March 30, 1927, and the husband, on May 13, 1927, having inherited the whole of his wife's estate. He did not make a new will.

Mr. Justice Morrison stated that the submissions in this matter were reduced in argument to the question as to whether the words, "this is my wish," used in the will created a precatory trust. He thought there was in the said will "a direction amounting to an obligation" as distinguished from a mere expression of the testator's wishes—thus creating a trust in favor of the parties to whom the testator, in his opinion, clearly intended the property should be distributed.

Both wills contained a desire (but leaving it to the judgment of either party) that certain amounts be left to St. Anthony's Roman Catholic Church for celebration of masses for the repose of the souls of the testators and the upkeep of their graves. Morrison, J., accepted this as a clear direction and allowed the bequests. The next of kin appealed on this and other points, alleging an intestacy, and that, therefore, the estate goes to the next of kin.

Mr. Savage for appellants, Mr. Kerr and Mr. Carmichael, contra.

CANADIAN NATIONAL FREE FROM POLITICS

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 11.—Politics does not interfere in the operation of the government owned Canadian National Railways and never will so long as he remains president of the system, Sir Henry Thornton, president of the railways, asserted last night in addressing the Philadelphia Traffic Club.

Sir Henry expressed the opinion that no government in Canada would ever dare use the railways in Canada for political purposes, because the idea of freedom from political control "has been firmly fixed in the minds of the people."

Overbuilding of railways in Canada, he said, which resulted in threatened bankruptcy for several lines, caused the government to take over the lines. Had it not done so, he asserted, the railroads would have gone into receiverships.

JANUARY SALE BARGAINS TODAY

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—Shoes, Bargain Highway, Lower Main Floor

Men's Shoes on the Bargain Highway, a Pair, $3.95

Men's Dress Boots, Dress Oxfords or reliable work boots. Made in neat fitting styles, and with Goodyear welted soles. All sizes to choose from. This is your chance to get a neat fit and good quality at a bargain. Pair, **$3.95**

—Shoes, Bargain Highway, Lower Main Floor

Women's Wool Cashmere Hosiery 59c and 79c

Wool Cashmere Hose, with three-ply heel and toe and double sole. Brown only. Regular, a pair, 75c for **59c**

Wool Cashmere Hose, full fashioned and seamless, reinforced at heel and toe; brown shade only. A pair **79c**

—Hosiery, Main Floor

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Rayon Silk Gowns with dainty lace yokes, and in good range of shades, such as pink, Nile, canary, peach, blue and white. On sale, each **$1.39**

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Brassieres of pink novelty cotton, neat fitting style, with elastic in waistline. On sale, each **39c**

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Girls' Pleated Skirts of Blue Serge $3.95

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Regular $8.50 each for **$5.75**

—Staples, Main Floor

Pillow Cases 4 for $1.00

Pillow Cases for everyday use; white or cream, 4 for **$1.00**

—Staple Dept., Main Floor

Ready-to-Use Sheets, Each $1.00

Pure White Ready-Hemmed Sheets. Size 70 x 90 inches. On sale at, each **$1.00**

—Staple Dept., Main Floor

Double Bed Flannelette Sheets A Pair, $2.69

Warm Flannelette Sheets, with either pink or blue borders. These have slight imperfections which in no way lessen their wearing qualities. Regular $2.75 a pair for **$2.69**

—Staple Dept., Main Floor

You Know the Character and High Style of Our Millinery

So let this announcement simply inform you of the reduced prices which are now in order.

Many Late Models Are Suitable for Early Spring

All High-Grade Winter Millinery Models On Sale for **$3.98**

Dress Hats—Regular to $10.50—On Sale for **$2.50**

Children's Winter Hats on Sale for **$1.50**



Women's and Misses' Coats

Fur Trimmed and Tailored Styles January Sale Bargains for Today

Coats of good quality duvetyn in wrap-around styles, trimmed with pin tucks, side panels; lined and interlined; trimmed with shawl collars and cuffs of fur. On sale for

$15.90

Sport Coats in check effects, fully lined, with convertible fur collars. Velour Cloth Coats, straight-line styles, with shawl collars and cuffs of moufflon. Shown in a good assortment of colors. On sale for

$17.90

Coats of all-wool velour and duvetyn, in smart wrappy styles and front drapes; trimmed with long fur collars, shawl or crush collars of moufflon, opossum, caracul and mandel. Shades of black, navy, brick, red, fawn and grey. High-grade coats, on sale for

$29.75

—Mantles, 1st Floor

Special Purchase of Fancy Crepes, Brocade Crepe de Chine and Fancy Rayons

Regular price, a yard, to $3.25. On sale, a yard, **$1.49**

—Silks, Main Floor

Special Purchase Fancy Check Flannel

In shades of mauve, grey, biscuit, powder blue and rosewood. Values to $1.00 a yard. For **59c**

—Dress Goods, Main Floor

Women's House Dresses



On Sale Today, Each

98c

Crepe and Gingham House Dresses in neat styles for morning wear; good range of shades, and sizes 36 to 44. On sale, each **98c**

—Whitewear, 1st Floor

Neat Flannel Dresses for Children

Regular Price $2.95, for $2.25

Flannel Dresses for the ages of 2, 3 and 4 years, with pants to match; blue, green and red trimmed with colored stitching. On sale, each **$2.25**

—Children's, 1st Floor

Girls' Pleated Plaid Skirts

Regular Price $6.50, for $3.95

Pleated Plaid Skirts, in shades rose, fawn, henna plaids, and suitable for the ages of 12 to 15 years. On sale today, each **$3.95**

—Children's, 1st Floor

Dr. Watson's Tonic Ale and Stout

Packets of Herbs, all ready to easily make a tonic, healthful and refreshing beverage. A packet makes one and a half gallons at little cost. Special Sale three 35c packets for **70c**

—Drug Sundries Section

"ADLER-I-KA" HALF PRICE

A well tried and effective liver purifier, stomach cleanser and dispeller of gas, sour stomach and heartburn. It gives immediate relief and promotes a healthy appetite and a perfect digestion. We are agents for Adler-i-ka and in order to give you an opportunity to try it we place it on sale this week-end at HALF PRICE. $1.25 size at **63c**

Or 2 bottles for **$1.25**

—Drug Sundries Section

Another "Richard Hudnut" FREE GIFT

During the remainder of our January Sale we give you a week-end gift package of Richard Hudnut's Toiletries with each dollar purchase of their preparations.

—Toiletries, Main and 1st Floors

Men's Broadcloth Shirts



Princely Brand. Each **$1.95**

Broadcloth Shirts, guaranteed, well tailored and finished, five-button front, centre pleat and starch neckband, separate collar to match. Patterned with neat and fancy stripes on a white and colored ground. Sizes 14 to 17½. At, each **$1.95**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Men's Lumberjacks, Sweaters and Pull-Overs

Values to $6.75 for $3.95

These include best English and Canadian makes; all wool; plain and fancy colors. Broken lines; not all sizes in any line. Values to $6.75 for **$3.95**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

A Few Men's All-Wool Jersey Cloth Sweaters

On Sale, Each, $2.50

Sweater Coats, suitable for everyday wear around the house. Shown in heather and grey shades; V neck style and two pockets. Each **$2.50**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

Men's Underwear

On Sale at Great Reductions



Robin Hood Underwear, made in England; natural wool mixture. Shirts only in sizes 36, 38, 42 and 44. Regular price $1.75 a garment, for **$1.19**

Only a Limited Number

Tiger Brand Medium Weight Natural Wool Mixture Shirts and Drawers. Broken sizes; shirts, 38, 40 and 42; drawers, 38, 40 and 42. At **$1.19**

Turnbull's Cream Elastic Rib Combinations, soft wool finish and medium weight. Sizes 36 to 44. Only a few to clear, a suit **$1.95**

—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

MEN'S UNDERWEAR

At Low Prices on the Bargain Highway

Heavy Weight Scotch Knit Underwear, 100% pure wool; shirts and drawers. Light grey shades; sizes 34 to 44. On sale a garment **$1.39**

Combinations, a suit **$2.69**

Heavy Weight Elastic Rib Underwear, soft and woolly; all sizes; shirts and drawers. A garment **$1.15**

Combinations, a suit **$1.98**

—Bargain Highway, Lower Main Floor

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